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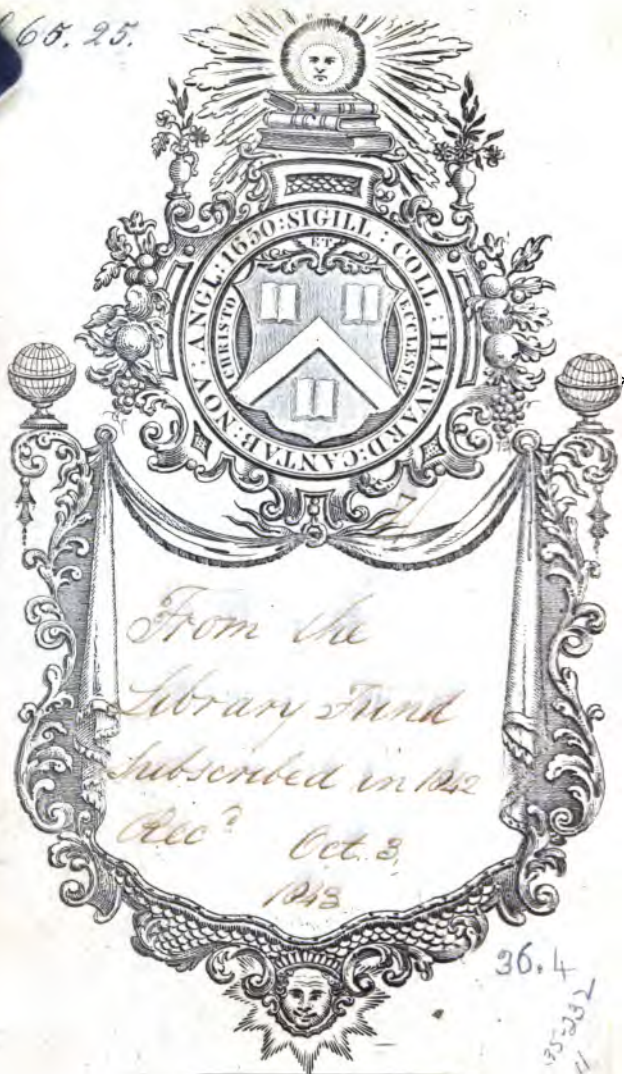
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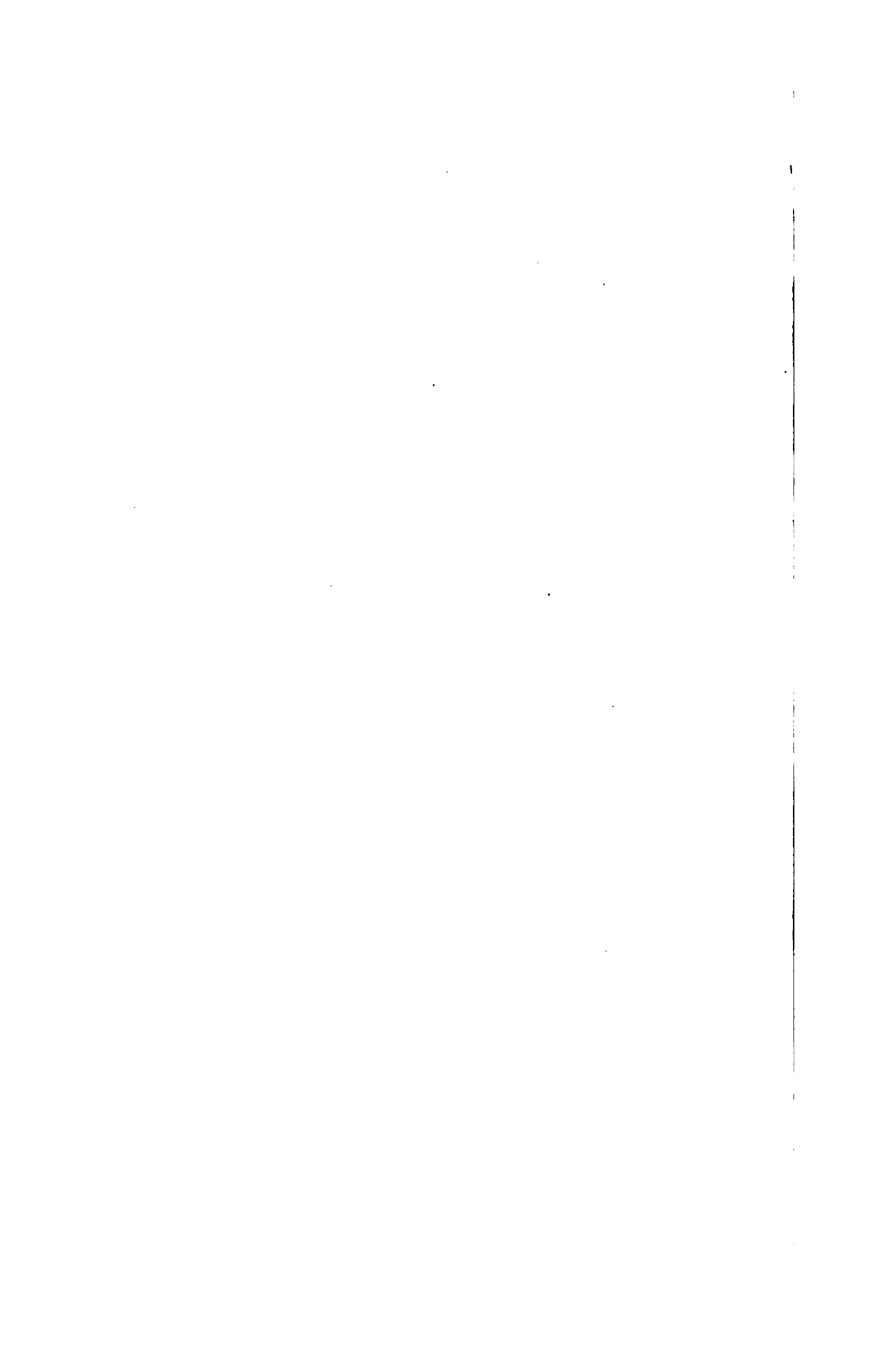
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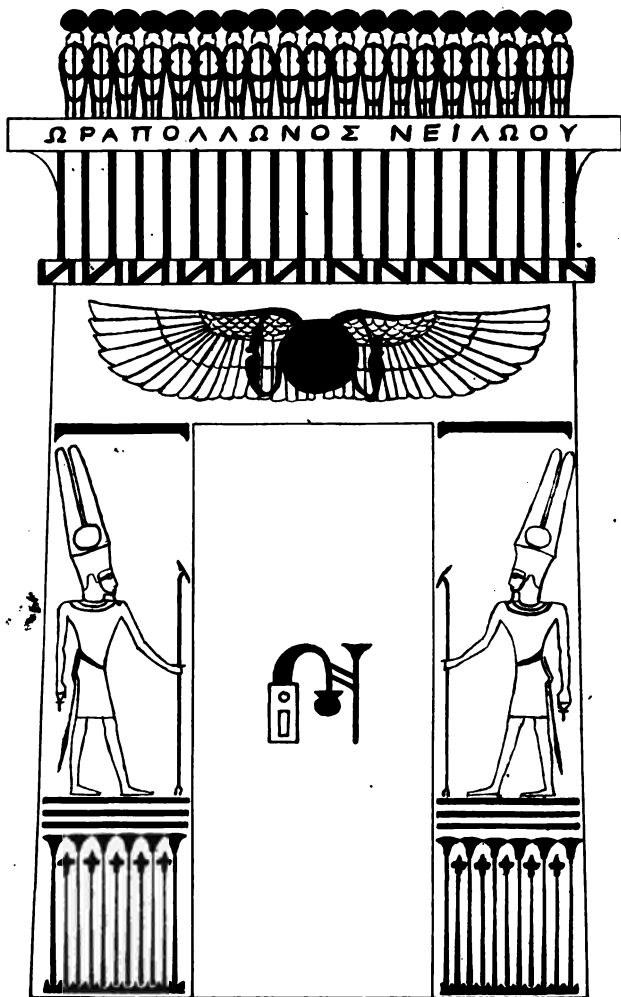
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PREFACE.

FOR some years past an ardent spirit of enquiry has been awakened with regard to the interpretation of the hieroglyphics inscribed upon the monuments of Egypt. For ages, these had been looked upon as the depositories to which had been committed the religion arts and sciences of a nation once pre-eminent in civilization. Attempts had been continually made to penetrate the darkness, but without the slightest success, till the great discovery of Dr. Young kindled the light, with which the energetic and imaginative genius of Champollion, and the steady industry and zeal of his fellow labourers and successors, have illustrated almost every department of Egyptian antiquity, and rendered the religion and arts, and manners of that country, almost as familiar to us as those of Greece and Rome; and revived the names and histories of the long-forgotten Pharaohs.

The ill success of every previous attempt, may in a great measure, be attributed to the scanty

remnants of Egyptian literature that had survived, and the neglect into which the sacred writings of Egypt had fallen, at the time when Eusebius and several of the fathers of the Christian church turned their attention to antiquity.

The ravages of the Persians had scattered and degraded the priesthood of Egypt, the sole depositories of its learning. But the fostering care of the Ptolemies reinstated them in splendour, and again established learning in its ancient seat. The cultivation of the sacred literature and a knowledge of hieroglyphics continued through the whole of the Greek dynasty, although the introduction of alphabetic writing was tending gradually to supersede them. Under the Roman dominion and upon the diffusion of Christianity they further declined; but the names of Roman emperors are found inscribed in hieroglyphic characters, down to the close of the second century, that of Commodus being, we believe, the latest that appears. During the two centuries that succeeded, the influence of Christianity, and the establishment of the Platonic schools at Alexandria, caused them to be altogether neglected.

At the beginning of the fifth century, Horapollo, a scribe of the Egyptian race, and a native of Phænebythis, attempted to collect and perpetuate

in the volume before us, the then remaining, but fast fading knowledge of the symbols inscribed upon the monuments, which attested the ancient grandeur of his country. This compilation was originally made in the Egyptian language; but a translation of it into Greek by Philip has alone come down to us, and in a condition very far from satisfactory. From the internal evidence of the work, we should judge Philip to have lived a century or two later than Horapollo; and at a time when every remnant of actual knowledge of the subject must have vanished. He moreover, expressly professes to have embellished the second book, by the insertion of symbols and hieroglyphics, which Horapollo had omitted to introduce; and appears to have extended his embellishments also to the first book. Nevertheless, there is no room to doubt but that the greater portion of the hieroglyphics and interpretations given in that book, as well as some few in the second book, are translated from the genuine work of Horapollo, so far as Philip understood it: but in all those portions of each chapter, which pretend to assign a reason why the hieroglyphics have been used to denote the thing signified, we think the illustrations of Philip may be detected.

In the first stages of hieroglyphical interpreta-

tion, this work afforded no inconsiderable light. But upon the whole, it has scarcely received the attention which it may justly claim, as the only ancient volume entirely devoted to the task of unravelling the mystery in which Egyptian learning has been involved; and as one, which in many instances, unquestionably contains the correct interpretations. In the present edition of the work, where any interpretations have been ascertained to be correct, the chapter has been illustrated by the corresponding hieroglyphic. In those cases where the hieroglyphic is mentioned, but an incorrect interpretation assigned, engravings have been given of it, as well as of the hieroglyphic corresponding to such interpretation, wherever these have been ascertained: and they have been inserted in the hope that they may lead persons better acquainted with the subject to discover more accurate meanings than we have been able to suggest.

Among the engravings is inserted a complete Pantheon of the great gods and goddesses of Egypt—Khem, of whom Osiris is a form, is the great deity corresponding to the Indian Siva, and the Pluto of the Greeks—Phtha, of whom Horus is another form, is the Indian Brahma, and Greek Apollo—and Kneph is the counterpart of Vishnu and Jupiter—Isis, of Vesta—Hathor, of Venus—

Neith, of Minerva—and Thoth, of whom Anubis is another form,* is the origin of Mercury.

In this edition, the best text that could be found has been adopted, and in no instance has any emendation been hazarded without express authority; and our own suggestions have throughout been inserted in the notes, or within parentheses. And at the end will be found an index of the authors and manuscripts referred to, as well as the celebrated passages of Porphyry and Clemens relating to Hieroglyphical interpretation.

To Lord Prudhoe, at whose request and expense this work has been completed, and by whom also a very considerable part of the illustrations has been furnished, I beg to return my most sincere thanks. To Sir Gardner Wilkinson's published works I am much indebted, as well as to his assistance in the progress of the work; also to the kindness of Messrs. Burton, Bonomi, Sharpe, and Birch, who have respectively supplied several additional illustrations. But for more convenient reference, I have generally cited Mr. Sharpe's vocabulary, in which are comprised in a condensed form almost all the established discoveries of his predecessors.

The edition of Horapollo by Dr. Leemans has

* See I. P. Cory's *Mythological and Chronological Inquiries*.

afforded some illustrations, and several of the various readings subjoined; and it is with great pleasure that the reader is referred to that work for almost every passage contained in ancient authors which has any bearing upon the subject. The kindness of Mr. Bonomi, in executing designs for all the engravings, and of Mr. J. A. Cory, for the frontispiece and plates at the end, I beg with many thanks to acknowledge: and to Mr. I. P. Cory I am indebted for much assistance throughout the whole progress of the work, both in the translation and the notes, and in furnishing many of the illustrations and elucidations of some of the very obscure passages that occur throughout the work; and also for the labour of correcting much of the press, which he undertook for me while unavoidably engaged in other pursuits.

In conclusion, I beg to state, that upon myself must rest the responsibility of all the errors and deficiencies in the work, which I feel convinced cannot but be many; I trust, however, that they will in general be found comparatively unimportant.

Pembroke College, 1840.

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H O R A P O L L O .

BIBAIION ΠΡΩΤΟΝ.

BOOK I.

I. HOW THEY DENOTE ETERNITY.



α. Πῶς αἰῶνα σημαίνουσι.

Αἰῶνα σημαίνοντες, ἥλιον καὶ σελήνην γράφουσι, διὰ τὸ αἰώνια εἶναι στοιχεῖα αἰῶνα δ' ἐτέρως γράψαι βουλόμενοι, ὄφιν ζωγρα-

To denote *Eternity** they depict the SUN and MOON, because their elements are eternal. But when they would represent *Eternity** diffe-

- i. Denotes *Eternal*.
- ii. Head of a God with the Basilisk upon it. The basilisk often passes over the head, and is occasionally found passing round it.
- iii. Denotes *Immortality*.—Sharpe, 186, 191.

* Eternal power?—a definite period?—an age?

φοῦσιν, ἔχοντα τὴν οὐρὰν ἔργently, they delineate a SER-
 ἰπὸ τὸ λοιπὸν σῶμα κρυπ- ἔ PENT with its tail covered by
 τομένην, ὃν καλοῦσιν Αἰ- ἔ the rest of its body: the
 γύπτιοι Οὐραῖον, † ὃ ἐστὶν ἔ Egyptians call this Ouraius, †
 Ἑλληνιστὶ βασιλίσκον † ἔ which in the Greek language
 ὄνπερ χρυσοῦν ποιοῦντες, ἔ signifies Basilisk: † And they
 θεοὶς περιτιθέασιν. αἰῶνα ἔ place golden figures of it
 δὲ λέγουσιν Αἰγύπτιοι διὰ ἔ round the Gods. The Egyp-
 τοῦδε τοῦ ζώου δηλοῦσ- tians say that Eternity is re-
 θαιῖ ἔπειδὴ τριῶν γενῶν presented by this animal; be-
 ὄφρων καθεστῶτων τὰ μὲν cause of the three existing
 λοιπὰ, θνητὰ ὑπάρχει, species of serpents, the others
 τοῦτο δὲ μόνον ἀθάνατον are mortal, but this alone is
 ὃ καὶ προσφυσῆσαι* ἐτέρῳ immortal; and ¶ because it
 παντὶ ζῳῷ δίχα καὶ || τοῦ destroys any other animal by
 δακεῖν, ἀναιρεῖ. ὄθεν ἐπει- merely breathing upon it even
 δὴ δοκεῖ ζωῆς καὶ θανάτου without biting. And hence,
 κυριεύειν, διὰ τοῦτο αὐτὸν inasmuch as it thus appears to
 ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς τῶν θεῶν have power over life and death,
 ἐπιτιθέασιν. they place it upon the head of
 the Gods.

† ΟΥΡΟ, in Coptic, signifies a king. Jab. Champ. Tat.—Morell suggests Οὐβαῖος, as a derivative from ΟΥ, Οὐ, a serpent.

‡ The Cobra Capella.—Hasselquist is in error when he says that the Arabs call this serpent Haje. They call it Nasher: and Haiyeh or Hayyeh is a general name for a serpent.

§ Par. A and B omit.

* Kircher suggests, "By the hiss."—See also Sanchoniatho Eus. Pr. Ev. lib. i. c. 10.

|| Ald. om. καί.

¶ Qy. insert "Power?"

II. HOW THE UNIVERSE.



β. Πῶς κόσμον.

Κόσμον βουλόμενοι γρά-
ψαι, ὄφιν ζωγραφοῦσι τὴν
ἑαυτοῦ ἐσθίοντα οὐρανόν, ἐσ-
τιγμένον φολίσι ποικίλαις.
διὰ μὲν τῶν φολίδων αἰνι-
τόμενοι τοὺς ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ
ἀστέρας. βαρύτεατον δὲ τὸ
ζῶον, κατὰπερ καὶ ἡ γῆ.
λειότεατον δὲ, ὡσπερ ὕδωρ.
καθ' ἕκαστον δὲ ἐνιαυτὸν
τὸ γῆρας ἀφείς, ἀποδύε-
ται. καθ' ὃ καὶ ὁ ἐν τῷ
κόσμῳ ἐνιαύσιος χρόνος

When they would represent
the universe, they delineate a
SERPENT bespeckled with va-
riegated scales, devouring its
own tail; by the scales in-
timating the stars in the uni-
verse. The animal is also ex-
tremely heavy, as is the earth,
and extremely slippery, like
the water: moreover, it every
year puts off its old age with
its skin, as in the universe the
annual period effects a corres-

I. II. III. *The three species of serpents found upon the monuments.*

The figures of the god Atmon sometimes exhibit instances of a serpent with its tail in its mouth. See Pl. I. fig. 1. Perhaps the nearest known approximation to the text is the serpent running round the lid of the sarcophagus of Ramesses III. at Cambridge, which rests its head upon its tail, and may indicate the Universe.

ἐναλλαγὴν ποιούμενος, νεά-
ζει. τὸ δὲ ὡς τροφῇ χρῆσ-
θαι τῷ ἑαυτοῦ σώματι,
σημαίνει, τὸ πάντα ὅσα
ἐκ τῆς θείας προνοίας ἐν
τῷ κόσμῳ γεννᾶται, ταῦτα
πάλιν καὶ τὴν μείωσιν εἰς
αὐτὸν* λαμβάνειν.

ponding change, and becomes
renovated. And the making
use of its own body for food
implies, that all things what-
soever, that are generated by
divine providence in the world,
undergo a corruption* into it
again.

III. HOW A YEAR.



γ'. Πῶς ἐνιαυτόν.

Ἐνιαυτόν δὲ βουλόμενοι ‘ When they would repre-
δηλώσαι, Ἴσιν, ταυτέστι γυ- ‘ sent a year, they delineate

i. A year.

ii. Isis SOTIIS, from the ceiling of the Ramessieion.

iii. The palm branch, on which Thoth measures time.

* De Pauw proposes εἰς αὐτὸ, or εἰς αὐτὰ, which Leemans adopts. But it simply refers to the ancient doctrine of Generation and Corruption. See Arist. de Gen. et Cor.

ναῖκα ζωγραφοῦσιν. τῷ δὲ Ἰσίς δὲ παρ' αὐτοῖς ἔστιν ἀστὴρ, Αἰγυπτιστὶ καλούμενος Σῶθις, Ἑλληνιστὶ δὲ Ἀστροκύων,* ὃς καὶ δοκεῖ βασιλεύειν τῶν λοιπῶν ἀστέρων ὅτε μὲν μείζων, ὅτε δὲ ἥσων ἀνατέλλων· καὶ ὅτε μὲν λαμπρότερος, ὅτε † δὲ, οὐχ οὕτως. ἔτι δὲ καὶ διότι κατὰ τὴν τούτου τοῦ ἀστρου ἀνατολὴν, σημειούμεθα περὶ πάντων τῶν ἐν τῷ ἑνιαυτῷ μελλόντων τελεῖσθαι. ‡ διόπερ οὐκ ἀλόγως τὸν ἑνιαυτὸν, Ἰσιν λέγουσιν. καὶ ἑτέρως δὲ ἑνιαυτὸν γράφοντες, φοίνικα ζωγραφοῦσι, διὰ τὸ δένδρον τοῦτο μόνον τῶν ἄλλων κατὰ τὴν ἀνατολὴν τῆς σελήνης, μίαν βάλιν γεν-

' Isis, i. e. a woman. By the same symbol they also represented the goddess. Now Isis is with them a star, called in Egyptian, Sothis, but in Greek Astrocyon, [the Dog-star]; which seems also to preside over the other stars, inasmuch as it sometimes rises greater, and at other times less; sometimes brighter, and at other times not so; and moreover, because according to the rising of this star we show all the events of the ensuing year: † therefore not without reason do they call the year Isis. When they would represent the year otherwise, they delineate a PALM TREE § [BRANCH], because of all others this tree alone at each renovation of the

* Ἀπτροκύων, Par C. Ald. Merc. Treb.

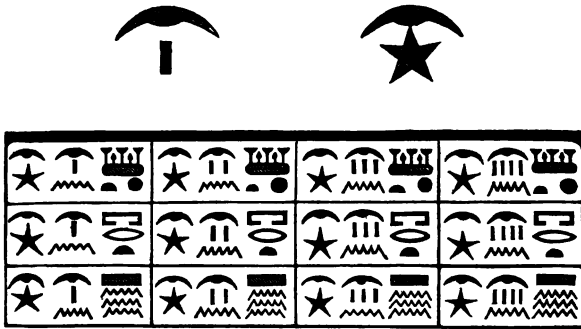
† ἴσθ' ὄτε, Mor. Par A, B.

‡ Regulate the calendar.

§ Qy. A palm branch, Sharpe, 636. Clemens Alex. describing a procession, states that the Horoscopus carries a φοίνικα, which evidently must imply a palm branch. See passage of Clemens in the Appendix.

ναῖν, ὡς ἐν ταῖς δώδεκα moon produces one additional
 βάζειν* ἐνιαυτὸν ἀπαρτί- branch, so that in twelve
 ζεσθαι. branches the year is completed.

IV. HOW A MONTH.



δ. Πῶς μῆνα.

Μῆνα δὲ γράφοντες, ‘To represent a month they
 βάζειν ζωγραφοῦσιν, ἢ σελή- ‘delineate a PALM BRANCH,
 νην ἐπεστραμμένην εἰς τὸ or, the MOON INVERTED.

I. II. A month.

III. The twelve months, divided into three seasons :

Season of Vegetation.

Thoth. Paophi. Hathor. Choiak.

Season of Harvest.

Toby. Mochir. Phamenoth. Pharmuthi.

Season of Inundation.

Pachon. Paoni. Epiphi. Mesori.

* Ald. Par C. Merc.—βάζειν, al.

κάτω. Βαίν μὲν, τῆς προ-
 ειρημένης ἐπὶ τοῦ φοίνικος
 αἰτίας χάριν· σελήνην δὲ
 ἔπεστραμμένην εἰς τὸ κά-
 τω, ἐπειδὴ φασιν, ἐν τῇ ἀν-
 ατολῇ πεντεκαίδεκα μοι-
 ρῶν ὑπάρχουσαν, † πρὸς
 τὸ ἄνω τοῖς κέρασιν ἔσχη-
 ματίσθαι ἐν δὲ τῇ ἀπο-
 κρούσει, τὸν ἀριθμὸν τῶν
 τριάκοντα ἡμερῶν πλη-
 ρώσασαν, εἰς τὸ κάτω
 τοῖς κέρασι νεύειν.

A palm branch for the reason
 before mentioned respecting
 the palm tree; and the moon
 inverted, because they say,
 that, in its increase, when it
 has come to fifteen degrees,* it
 appears in figure with its horns
 erect; and in its decrease, after
 having completed the number
 of thirty days, † it sets with its
 horns inverted.

V. HOW THE CURRENT OR CIVIL YEAR.



ε'. Πῶς τὸ ἐνιστάμενον ἔτος.

Ἔτος τὸ ἐνιστάμενον ‘To represent the *current*
 γράφοντες, τέταρτον ἀρέ- ‘*year*, they depict [with the
 ρας γράφουσιν. ἔστι δὲ ‘sign of the year?] the fourth

- i. Year as used in dates that refer to the reigns of kings
 or ages of individuals.
- ii. Year as an interval of time.—Sh. 634, 635.

* During the first fifteen days?

† Aug. Mor. Par A. Merc.—μοῖραι ὑπάρχουσι, al.

‡ During the last fifteen days.

μέτρον γῆς ἢ ἀρουρα, πη-
χῶν ἑκατόν. βουλόμενοι τε
ἔτος εἰπεῖν, τέταρτον λέ-
γουσιν. ἐπειδὴ φασὶ κατὰ
τὴν* ἀνατολὴν τοῦ ἄστρου
τῆς Σώθως, † μέχρι τῆς
ἄλλης ἀνατολῆς, τέταρτον
ἡμέρας προστίθεσθαι, ὡς
εἶναι τὸ ἔτος τοῦ θεοῦ, τρι-
ακοσίῳ ἐξήκοντα πέντε
ἡμερῶν. ‡ ὅθεν καὶ διὰ τε-
τραετηρίδος περισσὴν ἡμέ-
ραν ἀριθμοῦσιν Αἰγύπτιοι·
τὰ γὰρ β τέσσαρα τέταρ-
τα ἡμέραν ἀπαρτίξει.

‘ part of an ARURA : now the
Arura is a measure of land of
an hundred cubits. And when
they would express a year
they say a quarter [add the
quarter ?] : ¶ for they affirm
that in the rising of the star
Sothis, † the fourth part of a
day intervenes between the
(completion of the solar year
and the) following rising (of
the star Sothis), because the
year of the God [the solar
year] consists of only 365
days; ‡ hence in the course of
each tetraeterid || the Egyp-
tians intercalate an entire day,
for the four quarters complete
the day.

* Par A. B. om. τὴν.

¶ Substitute a square ?

† i. e. calculating according to Sothic time.

‡ Salm. and De Pauw suggest, and Loem has ventured to insert in the text, καὶ τετάρτου, i. e. and a quarter, which entirely destroys the passage. Mr. Wilkinson says, “ They had two years, one intercalated, the other not : the former was calculated from the Helical rising of the Dogstar, to that of the ensuing year, and was hence called the Sothic year : it had also the name of Squared year, from the intercalation ; and when expressed in hieroglyphics a square is placed instead of the globe of the solar year, which last was used in the dates of their tablets, that refer to the reigns of kings or ages of individuals.” Mat. Hier. part ii. p. 134.

§ δι. ΑΙ.

|| The period of four Julian years.

VI. WHAT THEY SIGNIFY BY DELINEATING A HAWK.



ς. Τί δηλοῦσιν ἱέρακα γράφοντες.

Θεὸν βουλόμενοι σημῆ-
 ναι, ἢ ὕψος, ἢ ταπείνωσιν,
 ἢ ὑπεροχὴν, ἢ αἷμα, ἢ
 νίκην, [ἢ Ἄρεα, ἢ Ἀφρο-
 διτην,]* ἱέρακα ζωγραφου-
 σι. Θεὸν μὲν, διὰ τὸ πο-
 λύγονον εἶναι τὸ ζῶον, καὶ
 πολυχρόνιον* ἔτι γὰρ μὴν,
 ἐπεὶ καὶ δοκεῖ εἰδῶλον ἡλί-
 ου ὑπάρχειν, παρὰ πάντα
 τὰ πετεινὰ πρὸς τὰς αἴ-
 τοῦ ἀκτῖνας ὀξυωποῦν* ἀφ'
 οὗ καὶ οἱ ἰατροὶ πρὸς ἰασιν
 ὀφθαλμῶν τῇ ἱερακίᾳ βο-
 τάνῃ χρῶνται* ὅθεν καὶ
 τὸν ἡλίον ὡς κύριον ὄντα

When they would signify
 God, or height, or lowness,
 or excellence, or blood, or
 victory, (or Ares, or Aphro-
 dite,) [Hor or Hathor], they
 delineate a HAWK. They sym-
 bolize by it God, because the
 bird is prolific and long-lived,
 or perhaps rather because it
 seems to be an image of the
 sun, being capable of looking
 more intently towards his rays
 than all other winged crea-
 tures: and hence physicians
 for the cure of the eyes use
 the herb hawkweed: hence

I. RA or PHRA, the Sun, also HOR.—Sh. 110.

II. HATHOR.

III. This figure is constantly found over the head of the Egyptian kings in the representations of their victories, as well as upon other occasions.

* Ald. and Treb. omit.

ὀράσεως, ἔσθ' ὅτε ἱερακό-
 μορφον ζωγραφουσίν. ὕψος
 δὲ, ἐπεὶ τὰ μὲν ἕτερα ζῶα
 εἰς ὕψος πέτεσθαι προαι-
 ρούμενα, πλαγίως περι-
 φέρεται, ἀδυνατοῦντα κα-
 τευδὺ χωρεῖν· μόνος δὲ ἰε-
 ραξ εἰς ὕψος κατευδὺ πέ-
 τεται. ταπεινῶσιν δὲ,
 ἐπεὶ τὰ ἕτερα ζῶα, οὐ
 κατὰ κἀδέτον πρὸς τοῦτο
 χωρεῖ, πλαγίως δὲ κατα-
 φέρεται· ἰέραξ δὲ κατευ-
 δὺ, ἐπὶ τὸ ταπεινὸν τρέ-
 πεται. ὑπεροχὴν δὲ, ἐπει-
 δὴ δοκεῖ πάντων τῶν πε-
 τεινῶν διαφέρειν. αἷμα δὲ,
 ἐπειδὴ φασὶ* τοῦτο τὸ
 ζῶον, ὕδωρ μὴ πίνειν, ἀλλὰ
 αἷμα. νίκην δὲ, ἐπειδὴ
 δοκεῖ τοῦτο τὸ ζῶον, πᾶν
 νικᾶν πετεινόν. ἐπειδὴ γὰρ
 ὑπὸ ἰσχυροτέρου ζώου κα-
 ταδυναστεύεται, τὸ τηνι-
 καῦτα ἑαυτὸν ὑπτιάσας
 ἐν τῷ ἀέρι, ὡς τοὺς μὲν
 ὄνυχας αὐτοῦ ἐν τῷ ἄνω
 ἐσχηματίζθαι, τὰ δὲ

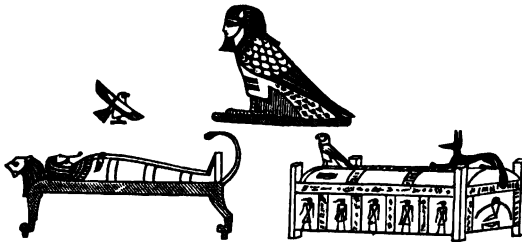
also it is, that under the form
 ' of a *HAWK*, they sometimes
 ' depict the *swm* as lord of vi-
 sion. And they use it to de-
 note *height*, because other
 birds, when they would soar
 on high, move themselves from
 side to side, being incapable
 of ascending vertically; but
 the hawk alone soars di-
 rectly upwards. And they use
 it as a symbol of *lowness*, be-
 cause other animals move not
 in a vertical line, but descend
 obliquely; the hawk, however,
 stoops directly down upon
 any thing beneath it. And
 they use it to denote *excel-
 lence*, because it appears to
 excel all birds—and for *blood*,
 because they say that this ani-
 mal does not drink water, but
 blood—and for *victory*, be-
 cause it shews itself capable of
 overcoming every winged crea-
 ture; for when pressed by some
 more powerful bird, it directly
 turns itself in the air upon its

* δοκεῖ, Mor.

πτερά καὶ τὰ ὀπίσθια εἰς
τὰ κάτω, τὴν μάχην τοι-
εῖται. οὕτω γὰρ τὸ ἀντι-
μαχόμενον αὐτῷ ζῶον, τὸ
αὐτὸ ποιῆσαι ἀδυνατοῦν,
εἰς ἥτταν ἔρχεται.

back, and fights with its claws
extended upwards, and its
wings and back below; and its
opponent being unable to do
the like, is overcome.

VII. HOW THEY INDICATE THE SOUL.



ζ. Πως δηλοῦσι ψυχὴν.

Ἔτι γε μὴν καὶ ἀντὶ
ψυχῆς ὁ ἰέραξ τάσσεται,
ἐκ τῆς τοῦ ὀνόματος ἑρμη-
νείας. καλεῖται γὰρ παρ'
Αἰγυπτίους ὁ ἰέραξ, Βαιήθ.
τοῦτο δὲ τὸ ὄνομα διαιρε-
θέν, ψυχὴν σημαίνει καὶ
καρδίαν. ἔστι γὰρ τὸ μὲν

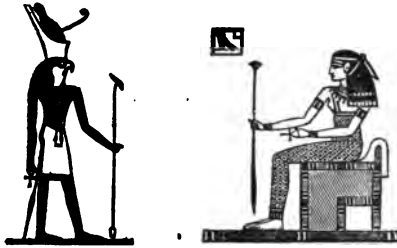
‘ Moreover, the HAWK is put
‘ for the soul, from the signifi-
‘ cation of its name; for among
‘ the Egyptians the hawk is
‘ called BAIETH: and this
‘ name in decomposition signi-
‘ fies soul and heart; for the
‘ word BAI is the soul, and

- I. The departing soul.
- II. The hawk found sitting upon the mummy cases.
- III. The external mummy case.

βαί, ψυχὴ τὸ δὲ ἦθ, καρ-
 δία. ἢ δὲ καρδία κατ' Αἴ-
 γυπτίους, ψυχῆς περίβο-
 λος ὥστε σημαίνει τὴν
 σύνθεσιν τοῦ ὀνόματος, ψυ-
 χὴν ἐγκαρδίαν. ἀφ' οὗ καὶ
 ὁ ἰέραξ διὰ τὸ* πρὸς τὴν
 ψυχὴν συμπαθεῖν, ὕδαρὸς
 πίνει τὸ καθόλου, ἀλλ'
 αἷμα, ὃ καὶ ἡ ψυχὴ τρέ-
 φεται.

ETH the heart; and the heart,
 according to the Egyptians,
 is the shrine of the soul; so
 that in its composition the
 name signifies 'soul enshrined
 in heart.' Whence also the
 hawk, from its correspondence
 with the soul, never drinks
 water, but blood, by which,
 also, the soul is sustained.

VIII. HOW ARES AND APHRODITE (HOR AND HATHOR.)†



ἢ. Πῶς Ἄρεα καὶ Ἀφροδίτην.

Ἄρεα δὲ γράφοντες καὶ Ἀφροδίτην, δύο ἰέρακας
 ζωγραφοῦσιν ὧν τὸν ἄρ-
 'To denote *Ares* and *Aphro-*
dite (*Hor* and *Athor*), they
 'delineate TWO HAWKS; † of

i. *Hor* or *Horus*.

ii. *Athor*, *Hathor*, or *Thyhor*, the *Egyptian Venus*.

* Aug. Par A. B. insert καί.

† To denote *Hor*, they delineate a HAWK; and to denote *Hathor*, a

σενα, εικάζουσιν Ἄρει, τὴν δὲ Θήλειαν, Ἀφροδίτη. ἐπειδὴ τὰ μὲν ἄλλα θηλυὰ καὶ ζῶα πρὸς πᾶσαν μίξιν τῷ ἀνδρὶ οὐχ ὑπακούει, καθάπερ ἰέραξ. τριακοντάκις γὰρ τῆς ἡμέρας βασιζομένη, ἐπειδὴν ἀναχωρήσῃ.* φωνηθεῖσα ὑπὸ τοῦ ἄρσενος, πάλιν ὑπακούει. διὸ καὶ πᾶσαν Θήλειαν τῷ ἀνδρὶ πειθομένην, Αἰγύπτιοι Ἀφροδίτην καλοῦσι· τὴν δὲ μὴ πειθομένην, οὐχ ἄντα προσαγορεύουσι. διὰ τοῦτο καὶ ἡλίω τὸν ἰέρακα ἀνέθεσαν παρὰ πηλυσίως γὰρ τῷ ἡλίῳ τὸν τριάκοντα ἀριθμὸν ἐν τῷ πλησιασμῷ τῆς θηλείας ἀποδίδωσιν.

Ἐτέρως δὲ τὸν Ἄρεα καὶ τὴν Ἀφροδίτην γράφοντες, δύο κοράνας ζω-

which they assimilate the male to Ares (Hor), and the female to Aphrodite (Hathor), for this reason, quod ex cæteris animantibus fœmina mari non ad omnem congressum obtemperat, ut in accipitrum genere, in quo etsi tricies in die fœmina a mare comprimatur, ab eo digressa, si inclamata fuerit paret iterum. Wherefore the Egyptians call every female that is obedient to her husband Aphrodite (Hathor), but one that is not obedient they do not so denominate. For this reason they have consecrated the hawk to the sun: for, like the sun, it completes the number thirty in its conjunctions with the female.

When they would denote *Ares* and *Aphrodite* (*Hor* and *Athor*) otherwise, they

HAWK WITHIN AN ENCLOSURE, as in the figure, which is read as the abode of *Horus*. Plutarch states that *ATHURI* signifies *Horus's* mundane house.

* ἀναχωρηθεῖσα, Par C.

μὲν, ὅτι αὐτογενὲς ἐστὶ τὸ
 ζῶον, ὑπὸ θηλείας μὴ κυο-
 φορούμενον. μόνη* γὰρ γέ-
 νεσις αὐτοῦ, τοιαύτη ἐστίν.
 ἐπειδὴν ὁ ἄρσην βούληται
 παιδοποιήσασθαι, βοδὸς
 ἀφ' ὄδου λαβὼν, πλάσ-
 σει σφαιροειδὲς παραπλή-
 σιον τῇ κόσμῳ σχῆμα· ὃ
 ἐκ τῶν ὀπισθίων μερῶν
 κυλίσσας ἀπὸ ἀνατολῆς εἰς
 δύσιν, αὐτὸς πρὸς ἀνατο-
 λὴν βλέπει, ἵνα ἀποδῶ τὸ
 τοῦ κόσμου σχῆμα. αὐτὸς
 γὰρ ἀπὸ τοῦ ἀπηλιώτου
 εἰς λίβρα φέρεται· ὃ δὲ τῶν
 ἀστέρων δρόμος, ἀπὸ λι-
 βρῶς εἰς ἀπηλιώτην ταύτην
 οὖν τὴν σφαιρὰν κατορύξας,
 εἰς γῆν κατατίθεται ἐπὶ
 ἡμέρας εἰκοσιοντῶ, ἐν ὅ-
 σαις καὶ ἡ σελήνη ἡμερας †
 τὰ δώδεκα ζῳδία κυκλεύει.
 ὑφ' ἧν ἀπομένον, ζωογονεῖ-
 ται τὸ τῶν κανθάρων γένος.
 τῇ ἐνάτῃ δὲ καὶ εἰκοστῇ ‡
 ἡμέρᾳ ἀνοίξας τὴν σφαι-

And they symbolise by this
 an *only begotten*, because the
 scarabæus is a creature self-
 produced, being unconceived
 by a female; for the propaga-
 tion of it is unique after this
 manner:—when the male is
 desirous of procreating, he
 takes dung of an ox, and
 shapes it into a spherical form
 like the world; he then rolls it
 from the hinder parts from east
 to west, looking himself to-
 wards the east, that he may
 impart to it the figure of the
 world, (for that is borne from
 east to west, while the course
 of the stars is from west to
 east): then, having dug a hole,
 the scarabæus deposits this
 ball in the earth for the space
 of twenty-eight days, (for in
 so many days the moon passes
 through the twelve signs of
 the zodiac). By thus remain-
 ing under the moon, the race
 of scarabæi is endued with

* μόνον, Ald. Merc. Caus. Pier.

† ἡ σελήνη ἡμερα, Par C.

‡ ὀγδόη, Mor. Aug. De Pauw.

ραν, εἰς ὕδωρ βάλλει. ταύ-
 την γὰρ τὴν ἡμέραν νομί-
 ζει σύνοδον εἶναι σελήνης
 καὶ ἡλίου, ἔτι τὲ καὶ γέ-
 νεσιν κόσμου. ἧς ἀνοιγομέ-
 νης ἐν τῷ ὕδατι, ζῶα ἐξ-
 ἔρχεται, τουτέστιν οἱ κύν-
 θαροι. γένεσιν δὲ, διὰ τὴν
 προειρημένην αἰτίαν. πα-
 τέρα δὲ, ὅτι ἐκ μόνου πα-
 τρὸς τὴν γένεσιν ἔχει ὁ
 κύνθαρος, κόσμον δὲ, ἐπει-
 δὴ κοσμοειδῆ τὴν γένεσιν
 ποιῆται. ἄνδρα δὲ, ἐπειδὴ
 θηλυκὸν γένος αὐτοῖς οὐ
 γίνεται. εἰσὶ δὲ καὶ κυνθά-
 ρων ἰδέαι τρεῖς, πρώτη μὲν,
 αἰλουρόμορφος, καὶ ἀκτι-
 νωτὴ, ἥπερ καὶ ἡλίῳ ἀνέ-
 θεσαν διὰ τὸ σύμβολον.
 φασὶ γὰρ τὸν ἄρρενα αἰ-
 λουρον, συμμεταβάλλειν
 τὰς κόρας τοῖς τοῦ ἡλίου
 δρόμοις. ὑπεκτείνονται μὲν
 γὰρ κατὰ πρῶτὴ πρὸς τὴν
 τοῦ θεοῦ ἀνατολήν· στρογ-
 γυλοειδεῖς δὲ γίνονται κατὰ
 τὸ μέσον τῆς ἡμέρας, ἀ-
 μαυρότεροι δὲ φαίνονται,
 δύνειν μέλλοντος τοῦ ἡλίου.

life; and upon the nine and
 twentieth day after having
 opened the ball, it casts it into
 water, for it is aware that upon
 that day the conjunction of
 the moon and sun takes place,
 as well as the generation of the
 world. From the ball thus
 opened in the water, the ani-
 mals, that is the scarabæi,
 issue forth. The scarabæus
 also symbolizes *generation*, for
 the reason before mentioned
 —and a *father*, because the
 scarabæus is engendered by
 a father only—and the *world*,
 because in its generation it is
 fashioned in the form of the
 world—and a *man*, because
 there is no female race among
 them. Moreover there are
 three species of scarabæi, the
 first like a cat, and irradiated,
 which species they have con-
 secrated to the sun from this
 similarity: for they say that
 the male cat changes the
 shape of the pupils of his eyes
 according to the course of
 the sun: for in the morning

ὄθεν καὶ τὸ ἐν Ἡλίου πό-
 λει ξόανον τοῦ Θεοῦ αἰλου-
 ρόμορφον ὑπάρχει. ἔχει
 δὲ πᾶς κᾶνθαρος καὶ δακ-
 τύλους τριάκοντα, διὰ τὴν
 τριακονταήμερον* τοῦ μη-
 νός, ἐν αἷς ὁ ἥλιος ἀνά-
 τελλων, τὸν ἑαυτοῦ ποιεῖ-
 ται δρόμον. δευτέρα δὲ
 γενεὰ, ἡ δίκερως καὶ ταυ-
 ροειδής, ἥτις καὶ τῇ Σε-
 λήνῃ καθιερώθη, ἀφ' οὗ καὶ
 τὸν οὐράνιον ταῦρον, ὑψι-
 ωμα τῆς Θεοῦ ταύτης
 λέγουσιν εἶναι παῖδες Αἰ-
 γυπτίων. τρίτη δὲ, ἡ μο-
 νόκερως καὶ ἰδιόμορφος,§
 ἣν Ἑρμῆ διαφέρειν ἐνόμι-
 σαν· καθὰ καὶ ἱβίς τὸ
 ὄρνεον.

at the rising of the god,
 they are dilated, and in the
 middle of the day become
 round, and about sunset ap-
 pear less brilliant : whence,
 also, the statue of the god in
 the city of the sun is of the
 form of a cat. Every scara-
 bæus also has thirty toes, cor-
 responding with the thirty
 days duration of the month,
 during which the rising sun
 [moon ?] performs his course.
 The second species is the two
 horned and bull formed, which
 is consecrated to the moon ;
 whence the children of the
 Egyptians say, that the bull
 in the heavens is the exalta-
 tion of this goddess. The third
 species is the one horned and
 Ibis formed,§ which they re-
 gard as consecrated to Hermes
 [Thoth], in like manner as the
 bird Ibis.

* τῶν τριάκοντα ἡμέρων, Par C. Ald. Merc. Caus. Pier. Leem.

† τῷ οὐρανῷ, Ald. Merc. Caus. Pier. De Pauw.

‡ Cuper. and De Pauw propose ἰβιδόμορφος, *ibis-formed* ; which is adopted in the translation above, but not inserted in the text.

XI. WHAT THEY IMPLY BY DEPICTING A VULTURE.



ια'. Τί γῦπα γράφοντες δηλοῦσι.

Μητέρα δὲ γράφοντες, ἢ βλέψιν, ἢ ὄριον, ἢ πρό-
 γνωσιν, ἢ ἐνιαυτὸν, ἢ οὐ-
 ρανίαν,* ἢ ἐλεήμονα, ἢ
 Ἀθηνᾶν, ἢ Ἥραν, ἢ δρα-
 χμάς δύο, γῦπα ζωγρα-
 φοῦσι. μητέρα μὲν, ἀπει-
 δὴ ἄρρεν ἐν τούτῳ τῷ γέ-
 νει τῶν ζώων οὐχ ὑπάρ-
 χει. ἢ δὲ γένεσις αὐτῶν,
 γίνεται τρόπῳ τοιῷδε.
 ὅταν ὀργάσῃ πρὸς σύλ-
 ληψιν ἢ γῦψ, τὴν φύσιν
 αὐτῆς ἀνοιξάσα πρὸς
 βορέαν ἀνεμον, ὑπὸ τούτου
 ὀχεύεται ἐπὶ ἡμέρας πέν-

‘ To denote a *mother*, or
vision, or *boundary*, or
foreknowledge, or a *year*,
 or *heaven*, or one that is
compassionate, or *Athena*
 ‘ [*Neith*], or *Hera* [*Saté*], or
two drachmas, they delineate
 ‘ a *VULTURE*. They signify by
 it a *mother*, because in this
 race of creatures there is no
 male. Gignuntur autem hunc
 in modum. Cum amore concipi-
 endi vultur exarserit, vulvam
 ad Boream aperiens, ab eo
 velut comprimitur per dies
 quinque, during which time

i. *Mother*.

ii. *Victory*.

iii. *Lower Egypt*.

* Treb. om.

τε* ἐν αἷς, οὔτε βρωτοῦ οὔτε ποτοῦ μεταλαμβάνει, ποδοῦσα* παιδοποιῶναι. ἔστι δὲ καὶ ἄλλα γένη ὀρνέων, † ἃ ὑπὸ ἀνέμου συλλαμβάνει, ὧν τὰ ὡὰ πρὸς βρωσιν αὐτὸ μόνον, οὐκέτι δὲ πρὸς ζωογονίαν ἔστι χρήσιμα. γυπῶν δὲ ὑπηνέμιον ποιουμένων τὴν ὀχίαν, ἢ τῶν ὧν γένεσις ζωογονεῖται. ‡ βλέψιν δὲ, ἐπεὶ τῶν ἄλλων ζῴων ἀπάντων, ὀξυωπέστερον ὄρα ἢ γύψ* ἐν μὲν ἀνατολῇ τοῦ ἡλίου ὄντος, πρὸς δύσιν βλέπουσα, ἐν δύσει δὲ τοῦ θεοῦ ὑπάρχοντος, πρὸς ἀκατολήν, ἐξ ἰκανοῦ διαστήματος ποριζομένη τὰ πρὸς χρῆσιν αὐτῆ βρώσιμα. ὄριον δὲ, διότι πολέμου μέλλοντος τελειοῦσθαι, τὸν τόπον ὀρίζει, ἐν ᾧ † μέλλει ὁ πόλεμος γίνεσθαι, πρὸ ἡμερῶν ἑπτὰ ἐπ' αὐτὸν παραγι-

she partakes neither of food nor drink, being intent upon procreation. There are also other kinds of birds which conceive by the wind, but their eggs are of use only for food, and not for procreation; but the eggs of the vultures that are impregnated by the wind possess a vital principle. The vulture is used also as a symbol of *vision*, because it sees more keenly than all other creatures; and by looking towards the west when the sun is in the east, and towards the east when the god is in the west, it procures its necessary food from afar. And it signifies a *boundary* [landmark ?] because, when a battle is to be fought, it points out the spot on which it will take place, by betaking itself thither seven days beforehand:— and *foreknowledge*, both from the circumstance last men-

* ποιῶσα, Ald. Par C. Merc.

† γυπῶν, Ald. Merc.

‡ Treb. omits from γυπῶν, —also from ἐν ψ, το παραγινομένη.

νομένη. πρόγινωσιν δὲ, διὰ
 τε τὰ προειρημένα, καὶ
 ὅτι* πρὸς τοὺς πλείονας
 σφαζομένους καὶ ἡττω-
 μένους† βλέπει, ταμειου-
 μένη τὴν ἑαυτῆς ἐκ τῶν
 πτωμάτων τροφὴν παρ'
 ὃ καὶ οἱ ἀρχαῖοι βασιλεῖς,
 κατασκόπους ἔπεμπον
 σκοπετόμενοι κατὰ ποῖον
 τοῦ πολέμου αἱ γῦπες
 βλέπουσι μέρος, ἐντεῦθεν
 σημειούμενοι τοὺς ἡττωμέ-
 νους. § ἐνιαυτὸν δὲ, διὰ τὸ
 ἐν τούτῳ τῷ ζῳῷ τριακο-
 σίας ἐξήκοντα πέντε ἡμέ-
 ρας τοῦ ἔτους διαιρεῖσ-
 θαι, ἐν αἷς ὁ ἐνιαύσιος ἐκ-
 τελεῖται χρόνος. ἑκατὸν
 γὰρ εἴκοσιν ἡμέρας ἔγκυος
 μένει, καὶ τὰς ἴσας τοὺς
 νεοσσούς ἐκτρέφει. ταῖς δὲ
 λειπούσαις ἑκατὸν εἴκο-
 σι,‡ τὴν ἑαυτῆς ἐπιμέ-
 λειαν ποιεῖται, μήτε κυο-

tioned, and because it looks
 towards that army which is
 about to have the greater
 number killed, and be defeat-
 ed, reckoning on its food from
 their slain: and on this ac-
 count the ancient kings were
 accustomed to send forth ob-
 servers to ascertain towards
 which part of the battle the
 vultures were looking, to be
 thereby apprized which army
 was to be overcome. And it
 symbolizes a year, because the
 365 days of the year, in which
 the annual period is com-
 pleted, are exactly apportion-
 ed by the habits of this crea-
 ture; for it remains pregnant
 120 days, and during an equal
 number it brings up its young,
 and during the remaining 120
 it gives its attention to itself,
 neither conceiving nor bring-
 ing up its young, but pre-

* ἢ τῆς προειρημένης αἰτίας χάριν ἢ ὅτι πυκτίδα
 γινομένη, ἢ ἐν ἀγρῷ, Par A.—ἢ τοῖς προειρημένοις χάριν
 πε πυκτίδα γιγνομένη, ἢ ἐν ἀγρῷ, Par B.

† ἡπτομένους, Merc. Ald.

§ Treb. am. from ἐντεῦθεν.

‡ Ald. om. εἴκοσι.

φοροῦσα, μήτε τρέφουσα, παρασκευάζουσα δὲ ἑαυτὴν εἰς ἑτέραν σύλληψιν τὰς δὲ λοιπὰς πέντε τοῦ ἔτους ἡμέρας, ὡς ἤδη προεῖπον, εἰς τὴν τοῦ ἀνέμου ὀχρίαν καταναλίσκει. ἐλεήμονα δὲ, ὅπερ δοκεῖ παρά τισιν ἐναντιώλαλον ὑπάρχειν, ἐπεὶ τοῦτο τὸ ζῶον πάντα ἀναιρεῖ. ἠναγκάσθησαν δὲ τοῦτο γράψαι, ἐπειδὴ ἐν ταῖς ἑκατὸν εἴκοσι* ἡμέραις, ἐν αἷς τα ἑαυτῆς ἐκτρέφει τέκνα, ἐπὶ πλεῖον οὐ πέτεται, περὶ δὲ τοὺς νεοσσὺς καὶ τὴν τούτων τροφὴν ἀσχολεῖται. ἐν αἷς ἀπορήσασα τροφῆς, ἦν παράσχηται τοῖς νηπίοις, τὸν ἑαυτῆς μηρὸν ἀνατεμοῦσα, παρέχει τοῖς τέκνοις τοῦ αἵματος μεταλαμβάνειν, ὡς μὴ ἀπορήσαντα τροφῆς ἀναιρεθῆ-

paring itself for another conception; † and the remaining five days of the year, as I have said before, it devotes to another impregnation by the wind. It symbolises also a *compassionate person*, which appears to some to be the furthest from its nature, inasmuch as it is a creature that preys upon all things; but they were induced to use it as a symbol for this, because in the 120 days, during which it brings up its offspring, it flies to no great distance, but is solely engaged about its young and their sustenance; and if during this period it should be without food to give its young, it opens its own thigh, and suffers its offspring to partake of the blood, that they may not perish from want of nourishment:—and *Athena* [*Neith*], and *Hera* [*Saté*], because

* Ald. om. εἴκοσι.

† This division appears to intimate the three seasons of the Egyptian year,—four months of *Vegetation*, four months of *Harvest*, and four of the *Inundation*, and the five epagomenæ consecrated as the birthdays of the gods.

ναι. Ἐπιθετικῶς δὲ καὶ Ἡ- ' among the Egyptians Athena
 ραν, ἐπειδὴ δοκεῖ παρὰ ' [Neith] is regarded as presid-
 Αἰγυπτίοις, Ἐπιθετικῶς δὲ καὶ Ἡ- ' ing over the upper hemisphere,
 τὸ ἄνω τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἡμισ- ' and Hera [Saté] over the
 φαίριον ἀπειληφέναι· τὸ lower; whence also they think
 δὲ κάτω, Ἡρα. ὅθεν καὶ it absurd to designate the hea-
 ἄτοπον ἡγοῦνται ἀρσενι- ven in the masculine, τὸν οὐρα-
 κῶς δηλοῦν τὸν οὐρανόν, νόν, but represent it in the fe-
 δηλωτικῶς μὲν τοὶ τὴν οὐ- minine, τὴν οὐρανόν, inasmuch
 ρανόν.* διότι καὶ ἡ γένε- as the generation of the sun
 σις ἡλίου καὶ σελήνης καὶ and moon and the rest of the
 τῶν λοιπῶν ἀστέρων, ἐν stars, is perfected in it, which
 αὐτῶ ἀποτελεῖται, ὅπερ is the peculiar property of a
 ἐστὶ θελητικῶς ἔργον. καὶ female. And the race of vul-
 τὸ τῶν γυναικῶν δὲ, ὡς προ- tures, as I said before, is a
 εἶπον, γένος, θελητικῶν ἐστὶ race of females alone, and on
 γένος μόνον. † διὸ ἦν αἰτίαν this account the Egyptians
 καὶ παντὶ θελητικῶ ζῴδιον over any female hieroglyph
 οἱ Αἰγύπτιοι γυναικῶν ὡς place the vulture as a mark of
 βασιλείου ἐπιτιθέασιν, royalty [maternity?]. And
 ἀφ' οὗ καὶ πᾶσαν θεῶν, hence, not to prolong my dis-
 ἵνα μὴ περὶ ἐκάστης γρα- course by mentioning each in-
 φων, μηκύνω τὸν λόγον, .. ' dividually, when the Egypti-
 . . . Αἰγύπτιοι, μητέρα ' ans would designate any god-
 οὖν † θέλοντες σημῆναι, ' dess who is a mother, they
 γυναικῶν ζωγραφουῦσι· μήτηρ ' delineate a vulture, for it is
 γὰρ ἐστὶ θελητικῶ ζῴου. the mother of a female progeny.
 οὐρανίαν δὲ, οὐ γὰρ ἀρέσ- And they denote by it (οὐρα-

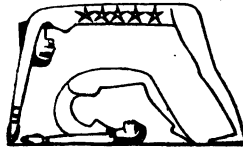
* Ald. Treb. Caus. om. from θελητικῶς.

† μόνων, Par A.

‡ De Pauw. sugg. οὖσαν.

κει αἰλοῖς τὸν οὐρανὸν λέ-
γειν, καθὼς προεῖπον·
ἐπεὶ τούτων ἡ γένεσις
ἐπειθὲν ἐστὶ.* δραχμὰς δὲ
δύο, διότι παρ' Αἰγυπτίοις
μονὰς ἐστὶν αἱ δύο δραχ-
μαί·† μονὰς δὲ, παντὸς
ἀριθμοῦ γένεσις. εὐλόγως
οὖν δύο δραχμὰς βουλό-
μενοι δηλῶσαι, γυπα γρά-
φουσιν, ἐπεὶ μήτηρ δοκεῖ
καὶ γένεσις εἶναι, καθά-
περ καὶ ἡ μονὰς.

νίαν) *heaven*, (for it does not
suit them to say τὸν οὐρανὸν,
as I said before,) because its
generation is from thence [by
the wind] :—and *two drach-*
mas, because among the Egyp-
tians the unit [of money] is
the two drachmas,† and the
unit is the origin of every num-
ber, therefore when they would
denote two drachmas, they
with good reason depict a vul-
ture, inasmuch as like unity it
seems to be mother and gene-
ration.

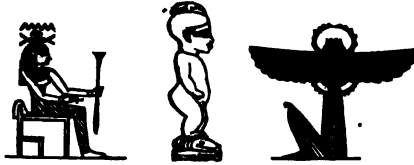


*Netpe, as the upper hemisphere, or heaven ; Isis, as the
lower, or earth.*

* Treb. om. from οὐρανίαν.

† Par A. Treb. Leem.—γραμμαί al.—Leemans observes that the
Alexandrine Interpreters of the Old Testament always reckon the
money by the didrachma, as in xxx. Ex. 13, for the drachma they
use the half of a didrachma, τὸ ἥμισυ τοῦ διδράχμου.

XII. HOW THEY DENOTE HEPHÆSTUS [PHITHAH.]



ιβ. Πῶς Ἡφαιστον γραφουσι.

Ἡφαιστον δὲ γράφον-
τες, κάνθαρον και γῦπα
ζωγραφοῦσιν· Ἀθηναῖν δὲ,
γῦπα και κάνθαρον. δοκεῖ
γὰρ αὐτοῖς ὁ κόσμος συν-
εστάναι ἐκ τε ἀρσενικοῦ
και θηλυκοῦ. † ἐπὶ δὲ τῆς
Ἀθηναῖς ‡ τὴν γῦπα γρά-
φουσιν. οὗτοι γὰρ μόνοι
θεῶν παρ' αὐτοῖς, ἀρσενο-
θήλεις ὑπάρχουσι.

‘To denote *Hephæstus*
‘ [*Phthah*], they delineate a
‘ SCARABÆUS and a VULTURE,
‘ and to denote *Athena*
[*Neith*],* a VULTURE and a
SCARABÆUS; for to them the
world appears to consist both
of male and female, (for Athe-
na [Neith] however they also
depict a vulture) and, ac-
cording to them, these are the
only Gods who are both male
and female.||

i. *Neith, Athena, or Minerva.*

ii. *Phthah Tore, the deformed pigmy God of Memphis,*
has a scarabæus on his head, and sometimes stands upon
a crocodile.

iii. *Phthah Socari.*

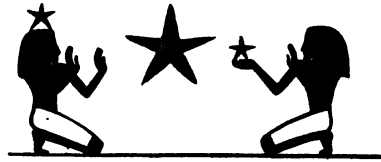
* To denote *Phthah*, they delineate a SCARABÆUS; and a VUL-
TURE, to denote *Neith*?

† ὑπάρχοντος κάνθαρον γράφουσιν, PAR A. B.

‡ De Pauw suggests the insertion of τὸν κάνθαρον, και ἐπὶ τοῦ
Ἡφαιστον.

|| See c. 10 and 11.

XIII. WHAT THEY INTIMATE WHEN THEY
DEPICT A STAR.



ιγ'. Τί ἀστέρα γράφοντες δηλοῦσι.

Θεὸν δὲ ἐγκόσμιον* ση-
μαίνοντες, ἢ εἰμαρμένῃν,
ἢ τὸν πέντε ἀριθμὸν, ἀσ-
τέρα ζωγραφοῦσι. Θεὸν
μὲν, ἐπειδὴ πρόνοια Θεοῦ,
τὴν νίκην προστάσσει,* ἢ
τῶν ἀστέρων καὶ τοῦ παν-
τὸς κόσμου κινήσις ἐκτε-
λεῖται. δοκεῖ γὰρ αὐτοῖς
δίχρα θεοῦ, μηδὲν ὅλως συν-
εστάναι. εἰμαρμένῃν δὲ,
ἐπεὶ καὶ αὕτη ἐξ ἀστρικῆς
οἰκονομίας συνίσταται.
τὸν δὲ πέντε ἀριθμὸν, ἐ-
πειδὴ πλήθους ὄντος ἐν οὐ-

When they would symbolise
the *Mundane God*, or *fate*, or
the *number 5*, they depict a
STAR. And they use it to de-
note *God*, because the provi-
dence of *God* maintains the
order by which the motion of
the stars and the whole uni-
verse is subjected to his go-
vernment, for it appears to
them that without a god no-
thing whatsoever could en-
dure. And they symbolise by
it *fate*, because even this is
regulated by the dispositions

I. A figure denoting Prayer or Glorifying.

II. The number 5.

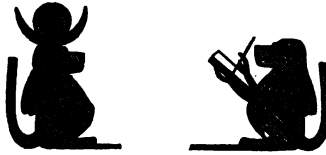
III. From the architraves of the Ramesseion.

* Treb. om. ἐγκόσμιον and τὴν νίκην προστάσσει ἢ.

ρανῶ, πέντε μόνοι ἐξ αὐ-
τῶν κινούμενοι,* τὴν τοῦ
κόσμου οἰκονομίαν ἐκτε-
λοῦσι.

of the stars:—and also the
number 5, because, though
there are multitudes of stars
in the heavens, five of them
only by their motion perfect
the natural order of the world.

XIV. WHAT THEY DENOTE WHEN THEY POURTRAY
A CYNOCEPHALUS.



ιδ'. Τί κυνοκέφαλον γράφοντες δηλοῦσι.

Σελήνην δὲ γράφοντες,
ἢ οἰκουμένην, ἢ γράμμα-
τα, ἢ ἱερέα, † ἢ ὄργην, ἢ
κόλυμβον, κυνοκέφαλον
ζωγραφοῦσι. σελήνην μὲν,
ἐπεὶ δὴ τὸ ζῶον τοῦτο, συμ-
πάθειαν τινὰ πρὸς τὴν
τοῦ Θεοῦ σύνοδον ἐκτίσα-

To denote the *moon*, or the
habitable world, or *letters*, or
a *priest*, or *anger*, or *swim-*
ming, they pourtray a CYNOC-
CEPHALUS. And they symbo-
‘lise the *moon* by it, because
the animal has a kind of sym-
pathy with it at its conjunc-

i. Ioh or Pooh, the Moon, a form of Thoth.

ii. A common symbol of Thoth.

* νικῶμενοι, Ald.

† Treb. om.

το. ὅταν γὰρ ἐν τῷ μέρει
 τῆς ὥρας* ἡ σελήνη συνο-
 δεύουσα ἡλίῳ ἀφώτιστος
 γένηται, τότε ὁ μὲν ἄρσῃν
 κυνοκέφαλος οὐ βλέπει,
 οὐδὲ ἐσθίει· ἄχθεασι δὲ
 εἰς τὴν γῆν νενευκῶς, κα-
 θάπερ πενθῶν τὴν τῆς σε-
 λήνης ἀρπαγὴν. ἡ δὲ θή-
 λεια μετὰ τοῦ μὴ ὄρᾶν,
 καὶ ταῦτὰ τῷ ἄρρῃν πάσ-
 χειν, ἔτι δὲ καὶ ἐκ τῆς
 ἰδίας φύσεως αἰμάσσεται.
 διὸ καὶ μέχρι τοῦ νῦν ἐν
 τοῖς ἱεροῖς τρέφονται κυ-
 νοκέφαλοι, ὅπως ἐξ αὐτῶν
 γινώσκῃται τὸ ἡλίου καὶ
 σελήνης μέρος τῆς συνόδου.
 οἰκουμένην δὲ, ἐπειδὴ ἐβ-
 δομήκοντα δύο χώρας τὰς
 ἀρχαίας φασὶ τῆς οἰκου-
 μένης εἶναι. τούτους δὲ
 τρεφομένους ἐν τοῖς ἱεροῖς
 καὶ ἐπιμελείας τυγχά-
 νοντας, οὐ, καθάπερ τὰ
 λοιπὰ ζῶα ἐν ἡμέρᾳ μιᾷ
 τελευτᾷ, οὕτω καὶ τούτους.

tion with the god. For at
 the exact instant of the con-
 junction of the moon with the
 sun, when the moon becomes
 unilluminated, then the male
 Cynocephalus neither sees, nor
 eats, but is bowed down to the
 earth with grief, as if lament-
 ing the ravishment of the
 moon: and the female also,
 in addition to its being unable
 to see, and being afflicted in
 the same manner as the male,
 exgenitalibussanguinem emit-
 tit: hence even to this day
 cynocephali are brought up in
 the temples, in order that from
 them may be ascertained the
 exact instant of the conjunc-
 tion of the sun and moon.
 And they symbolise by it the
habitable world, because they
 hold that there are seventy-
 two primitive countries of the
 world; and because these ani-
 mals, when brought up in the
 temples, and attended with

* Treb. om. ἐν τῷ μέρει τῆς ὥρας.

ἀλλὰ μέρος αὐτῶν καθ' ἐκάστην ἡμέραν νεκρούμενον,* ὑπὸ τῶν ἱερέων θάπτεσθαι, τοῦ λοιποῦ σώματος ἐν τῷ κατὰ φύσιν ὄντος. ἕως δ' ἂν αἱ ἐβδομήκοντα καὶ δύο πληρωθῶσιν ἡμέραι, τότε ὅλος ἀποθνήσκει. γράμματα δὲ, ἐπειδὴ ἐστὶ συγγένεια κυνοκεφάλων Αἰγύπτια † ἐπισταμένων γράμματα, παρ' ὃ εἰς ἱερὸν ἐπειδὴν πρῶτα κομισθῆ κυνοκέφαλος, δέλτον αὐτῷ παρατίθεισιν ὁ ἱερεὺς, καὶ σχοινίον, καὶ μέλαν πειράζων εἰ ἐκ τῆς ἐπισταμένης ἐστὶ συγγενείας γράμματα, καὶ εἰ γράφει. ‡ ἔτι δὲ καὶ τὸ ζῶον ἐπὶ Ἑρμῆ ἐνεμήθη τῷ πάντων μετέχοντι γραμμάτων. ἱερέα δὲ, ὅτι φύσει ὁ κυνοκέφαλος ἰχθῶν οὐκ ἐσθίει, ἀλλ' οὐδὲ ἰχθυ-

care, do not die like other creatures at once in the same day, but a portion of them dying daily is buried by the priests, while the rest of the body remains in its natural state, and so on till seventy-two days are completed, by which time it is all dead. They ' also symbolise *letters* by it, ' because there is an Egyptian race of cynocephali that is acquainted with letters; wherefore, when a cynocephalus is first brought into a temple, the priest places before him a tablet, and a reed, and ink, to ascertain whether it be of the tribe that is acquainted with letters, and whether it writes. ' The animal is moreover consecrated to Hermes [Thoth], ' the patron of all letters. And ' they denote by it a *priest*,|| because by nature the cynocephalus does not eat fish, nor

* Ald. reads νεκρούμενον.

† Αἰγυπτίους, Ald. Merc. Par C. Leem.

‡ ἑγγράφει, Par C. Ald. Merc. Pier.

|| Sacred scribe.

ώμενον ἄρτον,* καθάπερ
καὶ οἱ ἱερεῖς [ἐκτός]. γεν-
νάται τε περιτετμημένος,
ἦν καὶ οἱ ἱερεῖς ἐπιτηδεύ-
ουσι περιτομήν. † ὄργην δὲ,
ἐπεὶ περ τὸ ζῶον τοῦτο
παρὰ τὰ ἄλλα θυμικώτα-
τόν τε καὶ ὄργιλον ὑπάρ-
χει. κολυμβῶν δὲ, διότι τὰ
μὲν ἄλλα ζῶα κολυμβῶ
χρώμενα, ῥυπαρὰ φαίνε-
ται, μόνον δὲ τοῦτο, εἰς
ὃν τόπον προήρηται πο-
ρευθῆναι, κολυμβᾷ, κατὰ
μηδὲν τῷ ῥύπῳ παραφερό-
μενον. ‡

even any food that is fishy,
like the priests. And it is born
circumcised, which circumci-
sion the priests also adopt.
And they denote by it *anger*,
because this animal is both
exceedingly passionate and
choleric beyond others:—and
swimming, because other ani-
mals by swimming ‡ appear
dirty, but this alone swims to
whatever spot it intends to
reach, and is in no respect
affected with dirt.

* Aug. Par A. B. C. Leem.—ἄργον, al.

† Treb. om. from ἔτι δὲ καί.

‡ De Pauw suggests—ῥῶ παραφέρεται, μόνον δὲ τοῦτο, εἰς
ὃν τόπον προήρηται πορευθῆναι, κολυμβᾷ κατὰ μηδὲν τῷ ῥῶ
παραφερόμενον.—are borne down by the stream, but this alone
swims to the spot it intends to reach without being carried down by
the stream. The passage is very obscure.

XV. HOW THEY DENOTE THE RENOVATION
OF THE MOON.



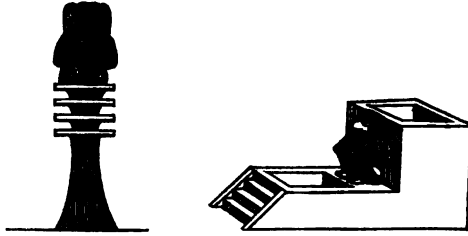
ιέ. Πῶς γράφουσι σελήνης ἀνατολήν.

Σελήνης δὲ ἀνατολήν
γράφειν βουλόμενοι, πάλιν
κυνοκέφαλον ζωγραφοῦσι,
σχῆματι τοιῷδ᾽ ἐστῶτα
καὶ τὰς χεῖρας εἰς οὐρα-
νὸν ἐπαίροντα, βασιλείον
τε ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς ἔχον-
τα. τοῦτο γράφουσι τὸ
σχῆμα ἐπὶ τῆς ἀνατολῆς,
ὃ κυνοκέφαλος ποιεῖται,
ὡς εἰπεῖν προσευχόμενος
τῇ θεῷ· ἐπειδὴ ἀμφότε-
ροι φωτὸς μετελήφασι.

When they would denote
the *renovation of the moon*,
they again pourtray a CYNOCEPHALUS
in this posture,
standing upright, and raising
its hands to heaven, with a
diadem upon its head; and
for the renovation they depict
this posture, into which the
cynocephalus throws itself, as
congratulating the goddess, if
we may so express it, in that
they have both recovered
light.

From the temple of Edfou.—Sh. E. I. 46. 6. Vocab.
959.

XVI. HOW THE TWO EQUINOXES.



15'. Πῶς ἰσημερίας δύο.

Ἴσημερίας δύο* πάλιν
σημαίνοντες, κυνοκέφαλον
καθήμενον ζωγραφουσι
ζῶον. ἐν ταῖς δυσὶ γὰρ
ἰσημερίαις τοῦ ἐνιαυτοῦ,
δωδεκάκις τῆς ἡμέρας καθ'
ἐκάστην ὥραν οὐρεῖ. τὸ δὲ
αὐτὸ καὶ ταῖς δυσὶ νυξί
ποιεῖ. διόπερ οὐκ ἀλόγως
ἐν ταῖς ὑδρολογίαις αὐτῶν
Αἰγύπτιοι κυνοκέφαλον

Again, to signify the *two*
Equinoxes they depict a sit-
ting *CYNOCEPHALUS*, for at the
two equinoxes of the year it
makes water twelve times in
the day, once in each hour,
and it does the same also dur-
ing the two nights; wherefore
not without reason do the
Egyptians sculpture a sitting
Cynocephalus on their Hydro-

1. The *Cynocephalus* upon the *Nilometer*, from the ceiling of the *Ramession*, where it occupies the central position between the last and first months of the year.
11. A water-clock in the *Museum* at *Leyden*.—Leemans.

* δὲ, Ald. Merc. Pier.

καθήμενον γλύφουσιν. ἐκ δὲ τοῦ μορίου αὐτοῦ* ὕδωρ ἐπιρρέον ποιοῦσιν· ἐπεὶ ὡσπερ προεῖπον, τὰς τῆς ἰσημερίας δώδεκα σημαίνει ὥρας. ἵνα δὲ μὴ εὐρύτερον τὸ [ὑδωρ - - †] κατασκευάσμα [τα] ὑπάρχει. δι' οὗ τὸ ὕδωρ εἰς τὸ ὠρολόγιον ἀποκρίνεται, μὴ δὲ πάλιν στενώτερον, ἀμφοτέρων γὰρ χρεία. τὸ μὲν γὰρ εὐρύτερον, ταχέως ἐκφέρει τὸ ὕδωρ, οὐχ ὑγιῶς τὴν ἀναμέτρησιν τῆς ὥρας ἀποτελεῖ· τὸ δὲ στενώτερον, κατ' ὀλίγον καὶ βραδέως ἀπολύον τὸν κρουόν, † ἕως τῆς οὐρᾶς τρίχα διείραντες, § πρὸς τὸ ταύτης πάχος, σίδηρον κατασκευάζουσι πρὸς τὴν προκειμένην χρείαν. τοῦτο δὲ

logia (or waterlocks); and they cause the water to run from its member, because, as I said before, the animal thus indicates the twelve hours of the equinox. And lest the contrivance, by which the water is discharged into the Horologium, should be too wide, or on the other hand too narrow, (for against both these caution must be taken, for the one that is too wide, by discharging the water quickly, does not accurately fulfil the measurement of the hour, neither the one that is too narrow, since it lets forth the water little by little, and too slowly,) they perforate an aperture to the extremity of the member, and according to its thickness insert in it an iron

* Par A. B. C.—αὐτῶ, Hæsch. De Pauw.

† Mor. inserts μομᾶ in the lacuna—ὕδωρ μομᾶ, τοῦ κατασκευάσματος, Aug. Par. A. B. The translation above corresponds with the translation of Treb., and the suggestions of Merc., which are adopted in the text by Leemans.

‡ Treb. om. from τὸ μὲν γάρ.

§ διάφραντες, Ald. Merc.—διάραντες, Par C.

αὐτοῖς ἀρέσκει ποιεῖν οὐκ
 ἄνευ λόγου τινός, ὡς καὶ*
 οὐδὲ ἐπὶ τῶν ἄλλων· καὶ
 ὅτι ἐν ταῖς ἰσημερίαις,
 μόνος τῶν ἄλλων ζῶων δω-
 δεκάκις τῆς ἡμέρας κρᾶζει
 καὶ ἐκάστην ὥραν.

tube adapted to the circum-
 stances required. And this
 they are pleased to do, not
 without sufficient reason, more
 than in other cases. They also
 use this symbol, because it is
 the only animal that at the
 equinoxes utters its cries twelve
 times in the day, once in each
 hour.

XVII. HOW THEY DENOTE INTREPIDITY.



ιζ. Πῶς θυμὸν δηλοῦσι.

Θυμὸν δὲ βουλόμενοι
 δηλῶσαι, λέοντα ζώγρα-
 φοῦσι. κεφαλὴν γὰρ ἔχει
 μεγάλην τὸ ζῶον· καὶ τὰς

When they would denote
intrepidity, they depict a
 LION, for he has a great head,
 and fiery eyeballs, and a round

1. *The Lion signifying Lord.*—Sh. 770.

11. *Lions supporting the sun in his resting place; from Thebes about the beginning of the 18th dynasty.*

* Al. om. ὡς—Al. om. καὶ.

μὲν κόρας πυρώδεις, τὸ face, and about it hairs like
 δὲ πρόσωπον, στρογγύλον, rays in resemblance of the
 καὶ περὶ αὐτὸ ἀκτινοειδεῖς sun ; and hence it is, that they
 τρίχας, κατὰ μιμησιν place lions under the throne
 ἡλίου. ὁθεν καὶ ὑπὸ τὸν of Horus, intimating the con-
 θρόνον τοῦ Ὡρου, λέοντας nexion of the animal with the
 ὑποτιθέασιν, δεικνύντες τὸ god. And the sun is called
 πρὸς τὸν θεὸν τοῦ ζώου Horus from presiding over the
 σύμβολον. ἥλιος δὲ ὁ Ὡρος Hours.
 ἀπὸ τοῦ* τῶν ὠρῶν κρα-
 τεῖν. †

XVIII. HOW THEY DENOTE STRENGTH.



ιν. Πᾶς ἀλκὴν γράφουσιν.

Ἄλκην δὲ γράφοντες, To denote *strength*, they
 λέοντος τὰ ἔμπροσθεν ζω- pourtray the FOREPARTS OF A
 γραφοῦσι, διὰ τὸ εὐσθε- LION, because these are the
 νέστερα αὐτῷ ὑπάρχειν most powerful members of his
 ταῦτα τὰ μέλη τοῦ σώ- body.
 ματος.

This hieroglyphic signifies "Powerful;" and the head
 by itself "Victrix," as it occurs in Nitocris or Neith
 victrix.

* Ald. Merc. Par. C. om.

† Treb. om. from ἡλιος.

XIX. HOW THEY DENOTE A WATCHFUL PERSON.



ιβ'. Πῶς ἐγρηγορότα γράφουσιν.

Ἐγρηγορότα* δὲ γράφοντες, ἢ καὶ φύλακα, λέοντος γράφουσι κεφαλὴν. ἐπεὶ δὲ ὁ λέων ἐν τῷ ἐγρηγορέναι μέμικε τοὺς ὀφθαλμούς, κοιμώμενος δὲ, ἀνεγρότας τούτους ἔχει· ὅπερ ἐστὶ τοῦ φυλάσσειν σημεῖον. διόπερ καὶ συμβολικῶς τοῖς κλείθροις τῶν ἱερῶν, λέοντας ὡς φύλακας παρειλήφασιν.

To denote a *watchful person*, or even a *guard*, they pourtray the **HEAD OF A LION**, because the lion, when awake, closes his eyes, but when asleep keeps them open, which is a sign of watching. Wherefore at the gates of the temples they have symbolically appropriated lions as *guardians*.

11. *Watchful.*

- i. 111. *Andro-Sphinxes, and Crio-Sphinxes, were almost universally placed in the dromos of a temple. The magnificent lions, presented by Lord Prudhoe to the British Museum, are from Napata, now Gebel Burkel.*

* Γρηγορότητα, Mor.

XX. HOW THE TERRIBLE.

κ'. Πῶς φοβερόν.

Φοβερόν δὲ σημαίνοντες, To signify the *terrible* they
 τῷ αὐτῷ χρῶνται σημείῳ, make use of the SAME SYMBOL,*
 ἐπειδὴ ἀλκιμώτατον ὕ- because this animal, being the
 πάρχον τοῦτο τὸ ζῶον, most powerful, terrifies all
 πάντας εἰς φόβον τοὺς who behold it.
 ὀρῶντας φέρει.

XXI. HOW THE RISING OF THE NILE.



κά. Πῶς Νείλου ἀνάβασιν.

Νείλου δὲ ἀνάβασιν ση- To signify the *rising of the*
 μαίνοντες, ὃν καλοῦσιν Αἰ- Nile, which they call in the

- i. *The Inundation.*
- ii. *Lord of the waters of the Nile, a title of Kneph.—Sh. 781.*
- iii. *A figure from a tomb at Thebes; the symbols of heaven and earth, with drops distilling between them.*
- iv. *The sign of the months of the inundation—Noun.*

* See Chap. XVIII.

γυπτιστὶ Νοῦν,* ἔρμηνευ-
 θέν δὲ σημαίνει νέον, ποτὲ
 μὲν λέοντα γράφουσι, ποτὲ
 δὲ τρεῖς ὑδρίας μεγάλας,
 ποτὲ δὲ οὐρανὸν καὶ γῆν
 ὑδρῶ ἀναβλύζουσιν. † λέ-
 οντα μὲν, ἐπειδὴ ὁ ἥλιος
 εἰς λέοντα γενόμενος, πλεί-
 ονα τὴν ἀνάβασιν τοῦ
 Νείλου ‡ ποιεῖται· § ὡς τε
 ἔμμενοντος || τοῦ ἡλίου τῶ
 ζωδίου τούτου, τὸ δῆμοισιν
 τοῦ νέου ὕδατος πλημμυ-
 ρεῖ πολλάκις. ὁθεν καὶ
 τὰς χολέδρας, καὶ τοῦς
 εἰσαγωγεῖς τῶν ἱερῶν κρη-
 νῶν, λεοντομόρφους κατεσ-
 κεύασαν οἱ ἀρχαῖοι ¶ τῶν
 ἱερατικῶν ἔργων ἐπιστά-
 ται. ** ἀφ' οὗ καὶ μεχρι νῦν
 κατ' εὐχρὴν κλεονασμοῦ

Egyptian language NOUN, and
 which, when interpreted, sig-
 nifies New, they sometimes
 pourtray a LION, and some-
 ' times THREE LARGE WATER-
 ' POTS, and at other times HEA-
 ' VEN AND EARTH GUSHING
 ' FORTH WITH WATER. And
 they depict a LION, because
 when the sun is in Leo it aug-
 ments the rising of the Nile,
 so that oftentimes while the
 sun remains in that sign of the
 zodiac, half of the new water
 [Noun, the entire inundation ?]
 is supplied; and hence it is,
 that those who anciently pre-
 sided over the sacred works,
 have made the spouts [?] and
 passages of the sacred foun-
 tains in the form of lions. † †

* Νοῦμ, Treb.

† Treb. om. from ὑδρίας.

‡ Par A. B. Mor. substitute Θεοῦ.

§ Treb. om. the next 25 lines to κάλουσι.

|| ἔμμένον, omitting τοῦ ἡλίου, Par A. B. Leem.

¶ Ald. Merc. om. and Par C. leaving a lacuna.

** προστάται, Par A. B. C. Ald. Merc.

† † The Lion's head is commonly used as a waterspout in the
 temples of Egypt.

ὑγρότητος* Wherefore, even to this day
 τρία δὲ ὑδρεῖα, ἢ οὐρανὸν in prayer for an abundant in-
 καὶ γῆν ὑδωρ βλύζουσιν, undation - - - - - And
 τὸ μὲν ὑδρεῖον† ὁμοιοῦντες they depict THREE WATERPOTS,
 καρδία γλῶσσαν ἐχούση, OF HEAVEN AND EARTH GUSH-
 καρδία μὲν, ἐπειδὴ παρ' ING FORTH WITH WATER, be-
 αὐτοῖς τὸ ἡγεμονικόν ἐστι cause they make a waterpot
 τοῦ σώματος αὐτή, καθά- like a heart having a tongue,
 περ ὁ Νεῖλος τῆς Αἰγύπτου —like a heart, because in their
 ἡγεμῶν καθέστηκεν. opinion the heart is the ruling
 γλώσση δὲ, ὅτι διὰ παντός member of the body, as the
 ἐν ὑγρῷ ὑπάρχουσιν αὐτήν, like [a heart with ?] a tongue,
 καὶ γενέτειραν τοῦ because it is always in a state
 εἶναι καλοῦσι.‡ τρία δὲ of humidity, and they call it
 ὑδρεῖα, καὶ οὔτε πλείονα the producer of existence. And
 οὔτε ἥττονα, ἐπειδὴ ἡ τῆς they depict three waterpots,
 ἀναβάσεως ἐργασία κατ' and neither more nor less, be-
 αὐτοὺς τριμερῆς ὑπάρχει. cause according to them there
 ἐν μὲν ὑπὲρ τῆς Αἰγυπ- is a triple cause of the inun-
 τίας γῆς τάξαντες, ἐπειδὴ dation. And they depict one
 ἐστὶ καθ' αὐτὴν ὑδατος for the Egyptian soil, as being
 γενητική. ἕτερον δὲ, ὑπὲρ of itself productive of water ;
 τοῦ ὠκεανοῦ· καὶ γὰρ ἀπὸ and another for the ocean, for
 τούτου ὑδωρ παραγίνεται at the period of the inunda-
 εἰς Αἴγυπτον ἐν τῷ τῆς

* Mor. supplies καὶ ἐν χωρίων γέμοντες τὸν οἶνον ζῶων λέοντα, Par A. B. καὶ ἐν τῶν χωρίων γέμοντες τὸν οἶνον ζῶων λέόντων.

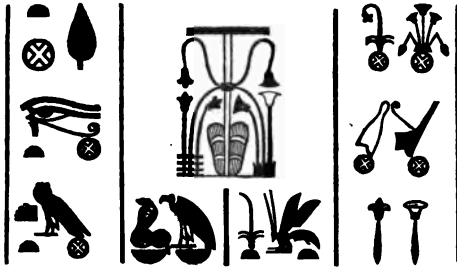
† Ald. Par C. om. μὲν ὑδρεῖον, leaving a lacuna.

‡ Treb. om. from ὡς τε ἐμμένοντος.

ἀναβάσεως καιρῶν. τρίτον δὲ ὑπὲρ τῶν ὄμβρων, οἱ γίνονται κατὰ τὰ νότια τῆς Αἰθιοπίας μέρη, κατὰ τὸν τῆς ἀναβάσεως τοῦ Νεῖλου καιρὸν. ὅτι δὲ γεννᾷ ἡ Αἴγυπτος τὸ ὕδωρ, δυνατόν ἐστιν ἐντεῦθεν μαθεῖν. ἐν γὰρ τῷ λοιπῷ κλίματι τοῦ κόσμου, αἱ τῶν ποταμῶν πλημμῦραι ἐν τῷ χειμῶνι ἀποτελοῦνται, ὑπὸ τῶν συνεχῶν ὄμβρων τοῦ τοιοῦτου συμβαίνοντος· μόνη δὲ ἡ Αἰγυπτίων γῆ, ἐπεὶ μέση τῆς οἰκουμένης ὑπάρχει, καθάπερ ἐν τῷ ὀφθαλμῷ ἡ λεγομένη κόρη, θέρους ἄγει τὴν τοῦ Νεῖλου ἰαυτῇ ἀνάβασιν.

tion, water flows up from it into Egypt; and the third to symbolise the rains which prevail in the southern parts of Ethiopia at the time of the rising of the Nile. Now that Egypt generates the water, we may deduce from this, that in the rest of the earth the inundations of the rivers take place in the winter, and are caused by frequent rains; but the country of the Egyptians alone, inasmuch as it is situated in the middle of the habitable world, like that part of the eye, which is called the pupil, of itself causes the rising of the Nile in summer.

XXII. HOW THEY DESIGNATE EGYPT.



κβ. Πῶς Αἴγυπτον γράφουσιν.

Αἴγυπτον δὲ γράφον-
τες, θυματήριον καίόμενον
ζωγραφοῦσι, καὶ ἐπάνω
καρδίαν. δηλοῦντες ὅτι ὡς
ἡ τοῦ ζηλοτύπου καρδία,
διὰ παντὸς πυροῦται, οὕ-
τως ἡ Αἴγυπτος, ἐκ τῆς
θερμότητος, διὰ παντὸς
ζωογονεῖ τὰ ἐν αὐτῇ ἢ
παρ' αὐτῇ ὑπάρχοντα.

To designate *Egypt*,* they
depict a BURNING CENSER AND
A HEART ABOVE IT, implying,
that as the heart of a jealous
person is constantly inflamed,
so Egypt from its heat perpe-
tually vivifies the things which
are in or near it.

Of the above nine hieroglyphical groups, I, II, III, upon the left, signify Egypt. The fourth, in the centre, signifies Upper and Lower Egypt; and is apparently that to which Horapollo alludes, but is mistaken in his description of it. V, and VI, immediately beneath it, denote King, and King of the Upper and Lower country. And VII, VIII, IX, upon the right, signify the Upper and Lower country.

* Qy. Αἴγυπτος, the Nile? or Egypt after the inundation?

XXIII. HOW A MAN THAT HAS NOT TRAVELLED
ABROAD.

κγ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον μὴ ἀποδημήσαντα.*

* Ἄνθρωπον τῆς πατρί-
δος μὴ ἀποδημήσαντα ση-
μαίνοντες, ὄνοκέφαλον ξω-
γραφοῦσιν· ἐπεὶ δὴ οὔτε
ἀκούει τινὸς ἱστορίας, οὔτε
τῶν ἐπὶ ξένης γινομένων
αἰσθάνεται.

To symbolize a man that
has not travelled out of his
own country, they delineate
ANONOCEPHALUS [creature with
an ass's head], because he is
neither acquainted with his-
tory, nor conversant with fo-
reign affairs.

XXIV. HOW AN AMULET [PROTECTION.] †



κδ'. Πῶς φυλακτήριον.

Φυλακτήριον δὲ γρά-
φειν βουλόμενοι, δύο κεφα-
amulet, they pourtray two

Two heads, one in front and the other in profile, is a
common hieroglyphic signifying Protection, but is not
ascertained as an amulet.

* Par C. Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs. insert τῆς πατρίδος.

† Mr. Birch has suggested, that φυλακτήριον has been substituted
by Horapollo for φύλακα, a Guard or Protector; which is extremely
happy.

λαὶ ἀνθρώπων ζωγραφ-
οῦσι, τὴν μὲν τοῦ ἄρσενος
ἔσω βλέπουσαν, τὴν δὲ
θηλυκὴν ἔξω. οὕτω γάρ
φασιν οὐδὲν τῶν δαιμονίων
ἐφάψεται· ἐπειδὴ καὶ χω-
ρὶς γραμμάτων, ταῖς δυοῖ
κεφαλαῖς ἑαυτοὺς φυλακ-
τηριάξουσι.

HUMAN HEADS, one of a male
looking inwards, the other of
a female looking outwards,
(for they say that no demon
will interfere with any person
thus guarded); for without in-
scriptions they protect them-
selves with the two heads.

XXV. HOW THEY DENOTE AN IMPERFECT MAN.



κέ. Πῶς ἀνθρωπον ἄπλαστον γράφουσι.

Ἄπλαστον δὲ ἀνθρωπον
γράφοντες, βάτραχον ζω-
γραφοῦσιν· ἐπειδὴ ἡ τού-
του γένεσις ἐκ τῆς τοῦ

To denote an *imperfect*
man, they delineate a FROG,
because it is generated from
the slime of the river, whence

- i. A common hieroglyphic, but not ascertained. In the British Museum is an inscription, in which Kneph is called "the king of Frogs."—Birch.
- ii. Kneph.

ποταμοῦ ἰλύος ἀποτελεῖται. ὅθεν καὶ ἔσθ' ὅτε ὀρᾶται τῷ μὲν ἑτέρῳ μέρει αὐτοῦ, βατράχῳ· τῷ δὲ λοιπῷ, γεώδει τινὶ ἐμφε- ρῆς· ὡς καὶ ἐκλιπόντι τῷ ποταμῷ, συνεκλείπειν.

it occasionally happens that it is seen with one part of a frog, and the remainder formed of slime, so that should the river fall, the animal would be left imperfect.

XXVI. HOW AN OPENING.



κς'. Πῶς ἀνοιξιν.

"Ἀνοιξιν δὲ θέλοντες δη- λῶσαι, λαγῶν ζωγραφ- οῦσι· διὰ τὸ πάντοτε τοῦς ὀφθαλμοὺς ἀνεωγῶτας ἔ- χειν τοῦτο τὸ ζῷον.

When they would denote an opening, they delineate a HARE, because this animal always has its eyes open.

Denotes "opening" according to Wilkinson—according to Sharpe it signifies "It is lawful." Qy. "Open or unprohibited."

XXVII. HOW SPEECH.



κζ. Πῶς τὸ λέγειν.

Το λέγειν δὲ γράφοντες, γλῶσσαν ζωγραφοῦσι, καὶ ὕφαιμον ὀφθαλμόν* τὰ μὲν πρωτεῖα τῆς λαλιᾶς, τῇ γλώσση μερίζοντες, τὰ δευτερεῖα δὲ ταύτης, τοῖς ὀφθαλμοῖς. οὕτω γὰρ οἷτε λόγοι τελείως τῆς ψυχῆς καθεστήκασι πρὸς τὰ κινήματα αὐτῆς συμμεταβάλλοντες· εἴπερ καὶ ἕτερα λαλιὰ παρ' Αἰγυπτίοις ὀνομάζεται† ἕτέρως δὲ τὸ λέγειν σημαίνοντες, γλῶσ-

To denote *speech* they depict a TONGUE, and a BLOODSHOT EYE; because they allot the principal parts of speech to the tongue, but the secondary parts thereof to the eyes. For these kinds of discourses are strictly those of the soul varying in conformity with its emotions; more especially as they are denominated by the Egyptians as different languages. And to symbolize *speech* differently, they depict

- I. Supposed by Mr. Wilkinson to represent three tongues, and to apply to the goddess of speech.
- II. Champollion considered this as the tongue and hand alluded to: it is often found inscribed at the beginning of tablets; a position not unfrequently occupied by an eye. It appears as a title of Hor.

* De Pauw. suggests, ὑπαι τὸν ὀφθαλμόν—an eye beneath.

† Treb. om. from εἴπερ.

σαν καὶ χεῖρα ὑποκάτω a TONGUE and a HAND BE-
 γράφουσι· τῇ μὲν γλώσση NEATH; allotting the principal
 τὰ πρωτεία τοῦ λόγου parts of speech to the tongue
 φέρειν δευκότες, τῇ δὲ to perform, and the secondary
 χεῖρὶ, ὡς τὰ τῆς γλώσσης parts to the hand as effecting
 βουλήματα ἀνουσίη, τὰ the wishes of the tongue.
 δεύτερα.

XXVIII. HOW DUMBNESS.

κῆ. Πῶς ἀφωνίαν.

Ἄφωνίαν δὲ γράφοντες, To denote *dumbness*, they
 ἀριθμὸν ἀέ.† γράφουσιν, depict the number 1095, which
 ὃς τριετοῦς ἐστὶ χρόνου is the number of days in the
 ἀριθμὸς, ἐκ τριακοσίων ἐξ- space of three years, the year
 ηκονταπέντε ἡμερῶν τοῦ consisting of 365 days, within
 ἔτους ὑπάρχοντος ἐφ' ὃν which time, if a child does not
 χρόνον μὴ λαλήσαν τὸ speak, it shews that it has an
 παιδίον σημειοῦται ὡς πα- impediment in its tongue.
 ραπεποδισμένον τῇ γλώσ-
 σῃ.

* αἰ Ald.—αλί Par A. B. and Caus.

XXIX. HOW A VOICE FROM A DISTANCE.

κθ'. Πῶς φωνὴν μακρόθεν.

Φωνὴν δὲ μακρόθεν βου-
λόμενοι δηλώσαι, ὃ κα-
λεῖται παρ' Αἰγυπτίους
Οὐαιε, ἀέρος φωνὴν γρά-
φουσι, τουτέστι βροντὴν,
ἧς οὐδὲν καταφθέγγει μεί-
ζον, ἢ δυναμικώτερον.

When they would symbolise
a voice from a distance, which
is called by the Egyptians
Ouaie, they portray the VOICE
OF THE AIR, i. e. THUNDER,
than which nothing utters a
greater or more powerful voice.

XXX. HOW ANCIENT DESCENT.



λ'. Πῶς ἀρχαιογονίαν.

Ἀρχαιογονίαν δὲ γρά-
φοντες, παπύρου ζωγρα-
φοῦσι δέσμην διὰ τούτου
δηλοῦντες τὰς πρώτας
τροφάς. τροφῶν γὰρ οὐκ
ἂν τις εὔροι, ἢ γονῆς, ἀρ-
χὴν.

To denote *ancient descent*
they depict a BUNDLE OF PA-
PYRUS, and by this they inti-
mate the *primeval food*; for
no one can find the beginning
of food or generation.

A roll of papyrus.

XXXI. HOW TASTE.

λα. Πῶς γεῦσιν.

Γεῦσιν δὲ δηλοῦντες, To denote *taste* they delineate the EXTREMITY OF THE ἀρχὴν στόματος ζωγραφουῦσιν* ἐπειδὴ πᾶσα γεῦσις μέχρι ταύτης σώζεται. γεῦσιν δὲ λέγω τελείαν. γεῦσιν δὲ μὴ τελείαν δηλοῦντες, γλῶσσαν ἐπὶ ὀδόντων ζωγραφουῦσιν, ἐπειδὴ πᾶσα γεῦσις τούτοις τελεῖται.

XXXII. HOW DELIGHT.

λβ. Πῶς ἡδονήν.

Ἡδονὴν δὲ δηλῶσαι When they would represent *delight* they depict the NUMBER 16;* for from this age men βουλόμενοι δεκαεξ ἄριθμὸν γράφουσιν. ἀπὸ γὰρ τού-

* Leemans very happily suggests, from the following passage in Pliny. *Nat. Hist. V. 9.*, that the symbol had some reference to the rising of the Nile: "Justum incrementum est cubitorum sedecim in duodecim cubitis famem sentit; in tredecim etiamnum esurit; quatuordecim cubita hilaritatem adferunt; quindecim securitatem; sedecim delicias."

των τῶν ἐτῶν, ἀρχὴν τῆς
 πρὸς γυναῖκας συνουσίας
 καὶ πρὸς τέκνα γενέσεως,
 οἱ ἄνδρες ἔχουσι. begin to hold commerce with
 women, and to procreate chil-
 dren.

XXXIII. HOW SEXUAL INTERCOURSE.

λγ'. Πῶς συνουσίαν.

Συνουσίαν δὲ δηλοῦντες, To denote *sexual inter-*
 δύο δεκαεὶ ἀριθμούς γρά- course they depict two NUM-
 φουσιν. ἐπειδὴ γὰρ τὰ BERS 16. Cum enim sedecim
 δεκαεὶ ἡδονῆν * εἵπομεν voluptatem esse diximus; con-
 εἶναι ἢ δὲ συνουσία, ἐκ gressus autem, duplici con-
 δύο ἡδονῶν συνέστημεν, ἐκ stet, maris ac fœminæ, volup-
 τε τοῦ ἀνδρός, καὶ τῆς tate, propterea alia sedecim
 γυναικός· διὰ τοῦτο τὰ adscribunt.
 ἄλλα δεκαεὶ προσγρά-
 φουσι.

* Mor. Par. A. Pier. Leem.—δεκαεὶ ἡδονῶν, Par. B.—τέκνα ἐξ ἡδονῶν, Al.

XXXIV. HOW A SOUL CONTINUING A LONG TIME HERE.



λδ'. Πῶς ψυχὴν ἐνταῦθα πολὺν χρόνον διατρίβουσιν.

Ψυχὴν δὲ ἐνταῦθα πολὺν χρόνον διατρίβουσιν * βουλόμενοι γράψαι, ἢ πλημμύραν, φοῖνικα τὸ ὄρνεον ζωγραφοῦσι. Ψυχὴν μὲν, ἐπεὶδὴ πάντων τῶν ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ πολυχρονιώτατον ὑπάρχει τοῦτο τὸ ζῶον. πλημμύραν δὲ, ἐπεὶδὴ ἡλίου ἐστὶν ὁ φοῖνιξ σύμβολον, οὐ μὴδὲν ἐστὶ πλεῖον κατὰ τὸν κόσμον.

When they would denote a soul continuing a long time here, † or an inundation, they depict the PHŒNIX the bird : ‡ and they denote the soul by it, because this is the longest lived of all creatures in the world ; and an inundation, because the Phœnix is a symbol of the sun, than which nothing is greater in the universe. For the sun passes over all and

The Phœnix.

* διατρίψασαν, Par. A.

† Qy. 'When they would denote the soul, or an expiring cycle of time, or an inundation?' Of the two first the Phœnix was certainly a symbol, and possibly of the last, on account of its periodical return.

‡ The Phœnix the Bird, to distinguish it from the Phœnix the Palm branch.—See Ch. 7.

πάντων γὰρ ἐπιβαίνει, καὶ
 πάντα* ἐξερευνᾷ ὁ ἥλιος. Polys|| (much).
 εἶθ' οὕτω Παλῶς † - - †
 ὀνομασθήσεται. §

XXXV. HOW A MAN RETURNING HOME AFTER A LONG
 TIME FROM A FOREIGN LAND.

λέ. Πῶς τὸν χρονίως ἀπὸ ξένης ἐπιδημοῦντα.

<p>Καὶ τὸν χρονίως δὲ ἀπὸ ξένης ἐπιδημοῦντα δηλοῦντες, πάλιν φοίνικα τὸ ὄρνεον ζωγραφοῦσιν. οὗτος γὰρ εἰς Αἴγυπτον, ἐπὶ ἂν ὁ χρόνος τοῦ μοιρι- δίου αὐτὸν καταλαμβάνειν μέλλῃ, διὰ πεντακοσίων ἐτῶν παραγίνεται· καὶ ἀποδοῦς εἰς φθάσῃ ἐντὸς τῆς Αἰγύπτου τὸ χρεῶν, κηδεύεται μυστικῶς· καὶ ὅσα ἐπὶ τῶν ἄλλων ἱερῶν ζώων Αἰγύπτιοι τελοῦσι,</p>	<p>To denote a <i>man returning</i> <i>home after a long time from</i> <i>a foreign land</i> they again de- <i>lineate the PHENIX the bird:</i> <i>for this creature, after an in-</i> <i>terval of 580 years, ¶ when the</i> <i>time of death is about to over-</i> <i>take him, returns to Egypt,</i> <i>and as soon as he pays the</i> <i>debt of nature in Egypt, he is</i> <i>mystically served with funeral</i> <i>rites; and whatever rites the</i> <i>Egyptians pay to the rest of</i> <i>the sacred animals, the same</i></p>
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* Mor. Leem.—πάντας, Al.

† Hæsch. conjectures πολυόφθαλμος as an epithet of the sun.
 Qy. πολυχρόνιος.

‡ Ald. and Par. A. leave no lacuna.

§ Treb. om. from εἶθ'.

¶ Phanes? Apollo.

¶ See a similar relation in Tacitus Ann. vi. 28.

ταῦτα καὶ τῷ φοίνικι are due to the Phœnix : *for
 ὑπάρχειν ὀφείλει. λέγεται it is said by the Egyptians
 γὰρ μᾶλλον τῶν ἄλλων to rejoice in the sun more
 ἀνθρώπων ἢλίω χαίρειν|| than other birds, and because
 ὑπ' Αἰγυπτίων, † διὸ καὶ among them the Nile over-
 τὸν Νεῖλον αὐτοῖς πλημ- flows through the heat of this
 μυρεῖν, ὑπὸ τῆς θερμότη- god ; of which matter we dis-
 τος τούτου τοῦ θεοῦ· περὶ cussed with you a short time
 οὗ μικρὸν ἔμπροσθεν ὁ since.
 λόγος ἀποδοθήσεται ‡ σοι
 παρ' ἡμῶν. §

XXXVI. HOW THEY DENOTE THE HEART.



λς'. Πῶς καρδίαν γράφουσι.

Καρδίαν βουλόμενοι When they would denote
 γράφειν, ἴσιν ζωγραφοῦσι. the heart they 'delineate the
 τὸ γὰρ ζῶον, Ἑρμῆ ὠκείω- 'IBIS ; for this animal is con-
 ται, πάσης καρδίας καὶ 'secrated to Hermes [Thoth],

Ibis, the emblem of Thoth or Hermes.

* I have translated this according to Treb.

|| ἥλιος χαίρων, Par. A.

† Mer. suggests ἐπ Αἰγυπτίων.—Hæsch. τοὺς Αἰγυπτίους.—
 De Pauw suggests ὀρνέων for ἀνθρώπων, and Treb. reads so.

‡ Mer. De Pauw suggests ἀπεδόθη.

§ Treb. om. from περὶ οὗ.

λογισμοῦ δεσπότη, ἐπεὶ
καὶ* ἡ ἴβις αὐτὸ καθ'
αὐτὸ τῆ καρδία ἐστίν
ἐμφερής† † περὶ οὗ λόγος
ἐστὶ πλεῖστος παρ' Αἰ-
γυπτίους φερόμενος.

the lord of every heart and of reasoning. The Ibis also is itself in its own shape like the heart, respecting which great discussions are maintained by the Egyptians.

XXXVII. HOW EDUCATION.

λζ'. Πῶς παιδείαν.

Παιδείαν δὲ γράφοντες,
οὐρανὸν δρόσον βάλλοντα
ζωγραφοῦσι· δηλοῦντες,
ὅτι ὡσπερ δρόσος πίπ-
τουσα, εἰς πάντα τὰ φυτὰ
χωρεῖ, καὶ τὰ μὲν φύσιν
ἔχοντα ἀπαλύνεσθαι, ἀ-
παλύνει, τὰ δὲ σκληρὰ
μένοντα ἐκ τῆς ἰδίας φύ-
σεως, ἀδυνατεῖ τὸ αὐτὸ
τοῖς ἑτέροις ἐκτελεῖν· οὕτω
καὶ ἐπὶ τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ἡ
μὲν παιδεία κοινὴ καθέ-
στηκεν, ἥνπερ ὁ μὲν εὐφυῆς,

To denote *education*‡ they represent the HEAVEN DISTILLING DEW, intimating that as falling dew alights on all vegetables, and softens those which have a nature susceptible of being softened, but is unable to operate upon those which essentially remain hard in the same way as upon the others; so also among men education is common to all; and a man of an apt disposition receives it as dew, while

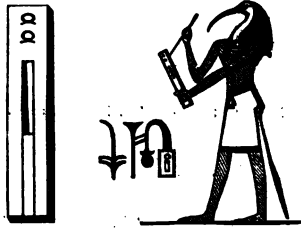
* Mor. ἐπειδῆ.

† Mor. ἀμερής.

‡ Qy. An Educator or Priest? See Ch. 21, fig. 4. See also fig. 3 of Neith, who was the Minerva, the Goddess of Education, pouring out the waters.

ὡς δρόσον ἀρπάζει, ὁ δὲ a man of a disposition less
ἀφνης, ἀδυνατεῖ τοῦτο docile is incapable of doing
δράσσαι. so.

XXXVIII. HOW THE EGYPTIAN LETTERS.



λθ'. Πῶς Αἰγύπτια γράμματα.

Αἰγύπτια δὲ γράμ- ' To denote the *Egyptian*
ματα δηλοῦντες, ἢ ἱερο- ' letters, or a sacred scribe,
γραμματέα, ἢ πέρας, μέ- ' or a boundary, they delineate
λαν, καὶ κόσκινον, καὶ ' INK, and a SIEVE, and a REED,
σχοινίον ζωγραφοῦσιν. Αἰ- ' and they thus symbolise the
γύπτια μὲν γράμματα, ' *Egyptian letters*, because
διὰ τὸ τούτοις πάντα παρ' ' by means of these things all
Αἰγυπτίοις τὰ γραφόμενα ' writings among the Egyp-
ἐκτελεῖσθαι. σχοίνῳ γὰρ ' tians are executed: for they
γράφουσι, καὶ οὐκ ἄλλῳ ' write with a reed and nothing
τινί. κόσκινον δὲ, ἐπειδὴ ' else: and they depict a SIEVE,
τὸ κόσκινον πρῶτον ὑπάρ- ' because the sieve being origin-

I. Inkstand: the ink and reeds, with one of which Thoth is writing, are placed in the cavities of the inkstand.

II. A royal scribe.

III. Thoth, the sacred scribe, is usually in this position, behind Osiris in the judgment of the dead.

χον σπεύς ἀρτοποιίας, ἐκ
 σχοίνου γίνεται· δηλοῦσιν
 οὖν ὅτι πᾶς ὁ ἔχων τὴν
 τροφήν, μαθήσεται τὰ
 γράμματα· ὁ δὲ μὴ ἔχων,
 ἑτέρα τέχνη χρήσεται·
 ἀφ' οὗ καὶ ἡ παιδεία παρ'
 αὐτοῖς σβῶ καλεῖται· ὅπερ
 ἐστὶν ἐρμηνευθὲν, πλήρης
 τροφή. ἱερογραμματέα δὲ,
 ἐπειδὴ ζῶν καὶ θάνατον
 οὗτος διακρίνει. ἔστι δὲ
 παρὰ τοῖς ἱερογραμμα-
 τεῦσι καὶ * βίβλος ἱερὰ,
 καλουμένη ἀμβρῆς, δι' ἧς
 κρίνουσι τὸν κατακλιθέντα
 ἀρρώστον· πρότερον ζώσι-
 μός ἐστιν, ἢ οὐ, τοῦτο ἐκ
 τῆς κατακλίσεως τοῦ ἀρ-
 ρώστου σημειούμενοι. †
 πέρας δὲ, ἐπειδὴ ‡ μαθὼν
 γράμματα, εἰς ὄρμον ζωῆς
 εὐδίου ἐλήλυθεν, οὐκέτι
 πλανώμενος τοῖς τοῦ βίου
 κακοῖς.

ally an instrument for making
 bread is constructed of reed ;
 and they thereby intimate that
 every one who has a subsis-
 tence should learn the letters,
 but that one who has not
 should practise some other
 art. And hence it is that
 among them education is called
 sbo,§ which when interpreted
 signifies sufficient food. Also
 they symbolize by these a
 'sacred scribe, because he
 'judges of life and death.
 For there is among the sacred
 scribes a sacred book called
 AMBRES, by which they decide
 respecting any one who is
 lying sick, whether he will live
 or not, ascertaining it from
 the recumbent posture of the
 sick person. And a boundary,
 because he who has learnt his
 letters has arrived at a tran-
 quil harbour of existence, no
 longer wandering among the
 evils of this life.

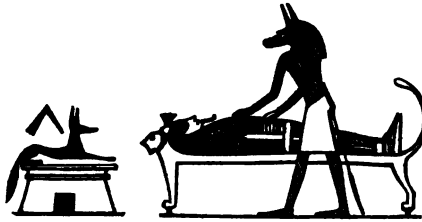
* Mer. Par C. om.

† Treb. om. from τοῦτο.

‡ Mor. Par A. &c. insert ὁ.

§ sbo in Coptic denotes learning.—Champ.

XXXIX. HOW A SACRED SCRIBE.



λθ'. Πῶς ἱερογραμματεία.

Ἱερογραμματεία δὲ πάλιν, ἢ προφήτην, ἢ ἐνταφιαστὴν,* ἢ σπλήνα, ἢ ὄσφρησιν, ἢ γέλωτα, ἢ πταρμὸν, [ἢ ἀρχὴν, ἢ δικαστήν†] βουλόμενοι γράφειν, κίνα ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἱερογραμματεία μὲν, ἐπειδὴ περ τὸν βουλόμενον ἱερογραμματεία τέλειον γίνεσθαι, χρὴ πολλὰ μελετᾶν, ὑλακτεῖν τε συνεχῶς καὶ ἀπηγριῶσθαι, μηδενὶ

And again when they would denote a *sacred scribe*, or a *prophet*, or an *embalmer*, or the *spleen*, or *smelling*, or *laughter*, or *sneezing*, [or *government*, or a *judge*,] they depict a *DOG*. And by this they denote a *sacred scribe*, because it is necessary for one who is desirous of becoming a perfect sacred scribe to be extremely careful, and to bark perpetually, and to be fierce,

I. Anubis on a tomb.

II. Anubis as an embalmer.

* Treb om.

† Treb. om. ἢ ἀρχὴν ἢ δικαστήν.

προσχαριζόμενον,* ὄσπερ οἱ κύνες. προφήτην δὲ, ἐπειδὴ ὁ κύων ἀτενίζει παρά τὰ ἄλλα τῶν ζώων εἰς τὰ τῶν θεῶν εἰδῶλα, καθάπερ προφήτης. ἐνταφιαστὴν δὲ τῶν ἱερῶν, ἐπειδὴ καὶ οὗτος γυμνὰ καὶ ἀνατετμημένα θεωρεῖ τὰ ὑπ' αὐτοῦ κηδεύομενα εἰδῶλα. Ἰσπληνὰ δὲ, ἐπειδὴ τοῦτο τὸ ζῶον μόνον παρά τὰ ἕτερα, ἐλαφρότερον ἔχει, εἴτε θάνατος αὐτῷ, εἴτε μανία περιπέσει, ἀπὸ τοῦ σπληνὸς γίνεται. καὶ οἱ θεραπεύοντες τὸ ζῶον τοῦτο ἐν ταῖς κηδείαις,† ἐπειδὴν μέλλωσι τελευτᾶν, ὡς ἐπὶ τὸ πλεῖστον σπληνικοὶ γίνονται. ὀσφραϊνόμενοι γὰρ τῆς τοῦ ἀνατεμνομένου κυ-

fawning upon no one, like dogs. And they symbolise by it a *prophet*, because the dog gazes intently|| upon the images of the gods more than all other animals, as does a prophet. And an *embalmer* of the sacred animals, because he also surveys the naked and dissected forms which are preserved by him. And the *spleen*, because this animal alone of all other creatures has this organ very light : and whether death or madness seizes him it arises from his spleen. And those who attend this animal in his exequies, when about themselves to die, generally become splenetic ; for smelling the exhalations from the dog, when dissecting him, they are affected by them.

* Mor. Mer. Pier. Causs. Leem. χαριζόμενον.—Par. C. Ald. χαριζόμενος.

† Par. A. B. Leem.—Al. insert δέ.

‡ Aug. Hæsch. De Pauw. ἄλλα, though De Pauw suggests ἀπλᾶ.

§ Treb. om. from ἐνταφιαστῆν.

|| In the ceiling of the Ramesseion is a figure of Anubis seated, as in fig. I., at each end of the zodiac, gazing at the gods, who represent the intermediate months.

¶ Mor. καρδίαι.

γραφοῦσι, διὰ τὸ ὑπὸ OF A HOUSE, because by him
 τούτου φυλάττεσθαι τὸ the temple is guarded.
 ἱερόν.

XLII. HOW THEY REPRESENT AN HOROSCOPIUS
 [OBSERVER OF THE HOURS.]



μβ'. Πῶς ἐμφαίνουσιν ὠροσκόπον.

<p>Ἵροσκόπον δὲ δη- λούντες, ἄνθρωπον τὰς ὥρας ἐσθίοντα ζωγραφού- σιν· οὐχ ὅτι τὰς ὥρας ἐσθίει ὁ ἄνθρωπος, οὐ γὰρ δυνατὸν, ἀλλ' ἐπειδὴ αἱ τροφαὶ τοῖς ἀνθρώποις ἀπὸ τῶν ὥρῶν πορίζονται.</p>	<p>To signify an <i>Horoscopus</i> [observer of the hours], they delineate a MAN EATING THE HOURS, not that the man eats the hours, for that is impossible, but because food is prepared for men according to the hours.</p>
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XLIII. HOW THEY DENOTE PURITY.

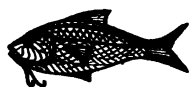
μκ'. Πῶς δηλοῦσιν ἀγνεΐαν.

<p>Ἀγνεΐαν δὲ γράφοντες, πῦρ καὶ ὕδωρ ζωγραφού-</p>	<p>To represent <i>purity</i> they delineate FIRE AND WATER,</p>
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This figure of a man with the emblem of life against his mouth is found ; and seems to be the figure alluded to.

σιν· ἐπεὶ διὰ τούτων τῶν because by these elements all
στοιχείων, πᾶς καθαρισμὸς purification is perfected.
ἐκτελείται.

XLIV. HOW THEY INTIMATE A THING UNLAWFUL,
OR AN ABOMINATION.



μδ'. Πῶς αἰνίττονται ἀθέμιτον, ἢ καὶ μῦσος.*

Ἄθέμιτον δὲ δηλοῦντες, To denote a *thing unlaw-*
ἢ καὶ μῦσος,* ἰχθὺν ζω- ful, or an *abomination*, they
γραφοῦσι, διὰ τὸ τὴν delineate a FISH, because the
τούτου † βρωῶσιν μισεῖσθαι feeding upon fish is considered
καὶ μεμιάσθαι ‡ ἐν τοῖς in the sacred rites as abomina-
ιεροῖς* κενοποιὸν γὰρ ἰχθὺς ble, and a pollution: for every
πᾶς, καὶ ἀλληλοφάγον. fish is an animal that is a deso-
lator [laxative as food?], and
a devourer of its own species.

Clemens states that the fish denotes hatred: and, accord-
ing to Leemans, it is found in some inscriptions with
that signification.

* Treb. reads, and De Pauw. suggests, μῖσος. cf. *Plut. d. 91.*

† Mor. Par A. B. C. Leem.—τούτων, Al.

‡ μεμιάσθαι, Mor. Aug. Par A. B.

XLV. HOW THEY REPRESENT THE MOUTH.



μέ'. Πῶς γράφουσι στόμα.

Στόμα* δὲ γράφοντες, To represent the *mouth* they
ὄφιν ζωγραφοῦσιν ἐπειδὴ depict a *SERPENT*, because the
ὁ ὄφιν οὐδενὶ ἑτέρῳ τῶν serpent is powerful in no other
μελῶν ἰσχύει, εἰ μὴ τῷ of its members except the
στόματι μόνον. mouth alone.

XLVI. HOW MANLINESS COMBINED WITH TEMPERANCE.



μέ'. Πῶς ἀνδρεῖον μετὰ σωφροσύνης.

Ἀνδρεῖον δὲ μετὰ σω- To denote *manliness com-*
φροσύνης δηλοῦντες, ταῦ- bined with *temperance*, they

I. The commencement of numerous dedicatory inscriptions, generally interpreted "Sacred."—Sh. 309, 311. Does it signify things, or a tablet to "set up to, or in honour of?"

II. ΚΗΕΜ, one of the principal divinities, the god of generation, his emblem was the bull.

III. Powerful. Compare the translation of the obelisk of Hermapion, Anc. Fr. p. 169, with the square banners of the kings.

* Ἐστῶτα? Things set up to?

ρον ὑγιᾶ* φύσιν ἔχοντα
 ζωγραφοῦσι. θερμαντικώ-
 τατον γὰρ ὑπάρχει τὸ
 ζῶον κατὰ μόριον ὥστε
 ἅπαξ εἰς τὴν θήλειαν
 φύσιν καθείς τὸ ἑαυτοῦ,
 καὶ δίχα πάσης κινήσεως,
 σπερμοβουλεύει· ἐὰν δὲ ποτε
 διαμάρτη τῆς φύσεως, καὶ
 εἰς ἕτερον τόπον τοῦ σώ-
 ματος τῆς βοῦς ἐρέσῃ τὸ
 αἰδοῖον, τοτηνικαῦτα τῇ
 ὑπερβαλλούσῃ ἐντονίᾳ*
 τιτρώσκει τὴν θήλειαν.
 ἀλλὰ καὶ σώφρων ἐστὶ,
 διὰ τὸ μηδέποτε τοῦ θή-
 λεος ἐπιβαίνειν μετὰ τὴν
 σύλληψιν.

delineate a BULL that has a
 vigorous constitution. Calidis-
 simum enim est huic animali
 membrum, ita ut semel eo in
 fœminæ vulvam immisso, vel
 absque ullo motu semen effu-
 tiat. Quod si quando a vulvâ
 vaccæ aberrans, in alium cor-
 poris partem membrum inten-
 derit, tum ejus immodicâ in-
 tentione vaccam vulnerat.
 Quin et temperans est: quippe
 cum nunquam post concep-
 tum, vaccam ineat.

XLVII. HOW HEARING.



μζ'. Πῶς ἀκοὴν.

Ἄκοὴν δὲ γράφοντες, To denote *hearing*, they
 ταύρου ὡτίον ζωγραφοῦ- delineate the EAR OF THE BULL,

The bull's ear denotes hearing.—Champ.

* Mor. Par A. B. ὑγιῆ.

† Par A. B. C. Leem. ἐντονία.

σιν. ἐπειδὴν γὰρ ἡ θήλεια ὀργῶσα πρὸς σύλληψιν ἢ, ὀργᾶ δὲ οὐ πλεῖον ἢ ἐφ' ὥρας τρεῖς, τότε μικᾶται μέγιστον ἐν αἷς μὴ παραγινομένου* τοῦ ταύρου, συμμύει τὴν φύσιν, μέχρι τῆς ἑτέρας συνόδου· ὃ δὴ σπανίως γίνεται. ἀκούει γὰρ ὁ ταῦρος ἀπὸ πολλοῦ διαστήματος. συνιείς τε† ὀργᾶν, διὰ δρόμου παραγίνεται ἐν τῇ συνοσίᾳ, τοῦτο μόνον παρὰ τὰ ἕτερα τῶν ζώων ποιῶν.

for when the cow is desirous of conception, (and she continues so for not longer than three hours together,) she vehemently lows, and if during this time the bull should not approach her, she reserves herself till another meeting. This however rarely happens; for the bull hears her from a great distance, and knowing that she is inflamed, he hastens to the meeting, and is the only animal that does so.

XLVIII. HOW THE MEMBER OF A PROLIFIC MAN.



μή. Πῶς αἰδοῖον ἀνδρὸς πολυγόνου.

Αἰδοῖον δὲ ἀνδρὸς πο- To denote the *member of a*
λυγόνου δηλοῦντες, τράγον *prolific man*, they depict a

The Mendesian goat appears to have been considered by Herodotus as sacred to Khem. The goat as well as the bull was an emblem of Siva.

* Par C. παραγενομένου.

† Par A. B. C. Ald. Mer. Leem.—Aug. Hæsch. De Pauw, τὸ, but De Pauw. suggests τε τὸ.

ζωγραφοῦσιν, οὐκέτι δὲ ταῦρον. ἐπειδὴ οὗτος μὲν μέχρις οὗ ἐνιαύσιος γέννεται, οὐ βιβάζει· σράγος δὲ ἑβδομαῖος μετὰ τὴν γένεσιν γενόμενος, ὀχεύει, ἄγονον μὲν καὶ ἄσπορον ἀποκρινόμενος σπέρμα, βιβάζει δὲ ὅμως πρῶτον τῶν ἄλλων ζώων.

GOAT, and not a bull: ille enim antequam annum attigerit, coire non solet: hic septem statim post ortum diebus congregitur, infœcundum et genituræ minime accommodum semen excernens. Prius tamen ac celerius cæteris animalibus coit.

XLIX. HOW THEY DENOTE IMPURITY.



μθ. Πῶς δηλοῦσιν ἀκαθαρσίαν.

Ἀκαθαρσίαν δὲ γράφοντες, ὄρυγα* ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐπειδὴ ἐπ' ἀνα-

To denote *impurity*, they delineate an *ORYX** (a species of wild goat), because when

- I. The *Oryx* is found upon the monuments, but not explained.
- II. A conical seal frequently appears in the hands of persons making oblations. Several with inscriptions on the base, as represented above, are in Dr. Lee's Museum.

* Mor. Par A. B. Mer. Caus. ὄρυγα, a quail.

τολὴν ἐρχομένης τῆς σελήνης, ἀτενίζων εἰς τὴν θεὸν, κραιωγὴν ποιεῖται, οὐκ εὐλογῶν αὐτὴν, οὐδὲ εὐφημῶν· σημεῖον δὲ τούτου ἐναργέστατον. τοῖς γὰρ ἐμπροσθίοις αὐτοῦ σκέλεσιν ἀνορύσων τὴν γῆν, ζωγραφεῖ* ἑαυτοῦ τὰς κόρας, ὡσπερὶ ἀγανακτῶν, καὶ μὴ βουλόμενος ἰδεῖν τὴν τῆς θεοῦ ἀνατολὴν. τὰ δ' αὐτὰ ποιεῖ καὶ ἐπὶ τοῦ ἡλίου θεοῦ ἄστρου † ἀνατολῆς. διόπερ οἱ ἀρχαῖοι βασιλεῖς, τοῦ ὠροσκόπου σημαίνοντος αὐτοῖς τὴν ἀνατολὴν, ἐπικαθίσαντες τούτῳ τῷ ζώῳ, διὰ μέσου αὐτοῦ, ὡς τινων γνωμόνων, τὴν τῆς ἀνατολῆς ἀκρίθειαν ἐγνώριζον. διὸ καὶ οἱ ἱερεῖς τοῦτο μόνον τῶν κτηνῶν, ἀσφράγιστον ἑσθίουσιν ἑπειδὴ ἀντιδικίαν|| τινὰ πρὸς τὴν θεὸν ἔχον φαίνεται. καὶ

the moon rises, this animal looks intently towards the goddess and raises an outcry, and that, neither to praise nor welcome her; and of this the proof is most evident, for it scrapes up the earth with its fore legs, and fixes its eyes in the earth, as if indignant and unwilling to behold the rising of the goddess. And it acts in the same manner at the rising of (the divine star) the sun. Wherefore the ancient kings, when the Horoscopus apprised them of the rising of the moon, placed themselves near this animal, and by observing the middle of its operations, ascertained, as by a kind of gnomon, the exact time of the rising. And hence the priests, of all other cattle, eat this alone without being previously marked with the seal, inasmuch as it appears to entertain a kind of aversion to the

* De Pauw. suggests *συστρέφει*.

† Treb. om. from *θείου*.—Mor. Ald. Mer. ἀπὸ.

‡ Hæsch. Leem.—*πτηνῶν*, Al.

§ Treb. om.

|| Par C. Ald. leave a lacuna.

γὰρ κατὰ τὴν ἐρημίαν, οὗ
 ἂν λάβηται ὑδραγωγῷ
 τόπου, πὶν τοῖς χεῖλε-
 σιν* ἀναταράσσει, καὶ
 μιγνύει τῷ ὕδατι τὴν
 ὕλην, † τοῖς δὲ ποσὶν εἰς
 αὐτὸ ἐπιπέμπει κόνιν,
 πρὸς τὸ, μηδενὶ ἑτέρῳ ζῳῷ,
 τοῦτο πότιμον ὑπάρξει.
 οὕτω πονηρὰ καὶ ἀπεχθῆς
 ἢ τοῦ ὄρυγος ἐνομίσθη
 φύσις. οὐδὲ γὰρ οὐδὲ τοῦτο
 καθήκον ‡ ἐργάζεται, τῆς
 θεοῦ αὐτῆς πάντα γεννώ-
 σης καὶ αὐξανούσης ὅσα
 κατὰ τὸν κόσμον ἐστὶ
 χρήσιμα.

goddess: and in the desert
 wherever it finds a watering
 place, after having drunk, it
 stirs it up with its lips, and
 mingles the mud with the
 water, and throws dust into it
 with its feet, that it may be fit
 for no other animal to drink;
 so malicious and odious has
 the nature of the Oryx been
 considered. Nor does it act
 thus unmeaningly, because it
 is this same goddess who ger-
 minates and causes all things
 whatsoever to increase that
 are useful in the world.

L. HOW A DISAPPEARANCE.

ν. Πῶς ἀφανισμὸν.

Ἀφανισμὸν δὲ δηλοῦν- To denote a *disappearance*,
 τες, μὴν ζωγραφοῦσιν, they delineate a *MOUSE*, be-

No hieroglyphic of a mouse has yet been found. But Herodotus states, that when Sennacherib approached Egypt, the bowstrings of his army were destroyed by mice during the night, in consequence of which, he was defeated by Sethos, king of Egypt, to whom was erected a statue with a mouse in his hand, as an emblem of
 DESTRUCTION.

* Bochart suggests χηλαῖς.—Treb. om.

† De Pauw suggests ἰλὸν, mud, which Treb. reads.

‡ Treb. impie.

ἐπειδὴ πάντα ἐσθίων, μί-
αίνει καὶ ἀχρηστοῖ. τῷ
αὐτῷ δὲ σημεῖω χρῶνται
καὶ κρίσιν θέλοντες γρά-
ψαι. πολλῶν γὰρ καὶ δια-
φόρων ἄρτων κειμένων, ὃ
μῦς τὸν καθαρώτατον αὐ-
τῶν ἐκλεξάμενος ἐσθίει.
διὸ καὶ τῶν ἀρτοκόπων
κρίσις ἐν τοῖς μυσὶ γίνεται.

cause it pollutes and spoils all
things by nibbling them. They
also make use of the same
symbol when they would de-
note discernment, for when
many different sorts of bread
lie before him, the mouse se-
lects the purest from among
them and eats it. And hence
the selection by the bakers is
guided by mice.

LI. HOW IMPUDENCE.

να'. Πῶς ἰταμότητα.

Ἰταμότητα δὲ δηλοῦν-
τες, μύϊαν ζωγραφοῦσιν,
ἥτις* συνεχῶς ἐκβαλλο-
μένη, οὐδὲν ἥττον παρα-
γίνεται.

To denote *impudence*, they
represent a FLY, for this,
though perpetually driven
away, nevertheless returns.

LII. HOW THEY REPRESENT KNOWLEDGE.

νβ'. Πῶς γνῶσιν ζωγραφοῦσι.

Γνῶσιν δὲ γράφοντες,
μύρηκα ζωγραφοῦσιν. ὃ

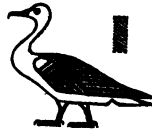
To represent *knowledge*,
they delineate an ANT, for

* ὄσι, Al.

γὰρ ἂν ἀσφαλῶς κρύβῃ
 ἄνθρωπος, οὗτος γινώσκει·
 οὐ μόνον δὲ,* ἀλλὰ καὶ
 ὅτι, παρὰ τὰ ἕτερα τῶν
 ζῶων, εἰς χειμῶνα ποριζό-
 μενος ἑαυτῷ τροφὰς, οὐ
 διαμαρτάνει τοῦ τόπου,
 ἀλλ' ἀπταιστος εἰς αὐτὸν
 παραγίνεται.

whatever a man may carefully
 conceal, this creature obtains
 a knowledge of; and not for
 this reason only, but also be-
 cause beyond all other animals
 when it is providing for itself
 its winter's food, it never de-
 viates from its home, but ar-
 rives at it unerringly.

LIII. HOW THEY REPRESENT A SON.



γγ'. Πῶς υἱὸν ζωγραφοῦσιν.

Τῶν δὲ βουλόμενοι
 γράψαι, χηναλώπεκα ζω-
 γραφοῦσι. τοῦτο γὰρ τὸ
 ζῶον φιλοτεκνώτατον ὑ-
 πάρχει. κἂν γὰρ διώκηται
 ποτε εἰς τὸ συλληφθῆναι
 σὺν τοῖς τέκνοις, ὃ, τε
 πατὴρ καὶ ἡ μήτηρ αὐ-
 τοῦ† ἀθαιρέτως διδόασιν
 ἑαυτοὺς τοῖς κνηγοῖς,

When they would denote a
 son, they delineate a CHENA-
 LOPEX (a species of goose).
 For this animal is excessively
 fond of its offspring, and if
 ever it is pursued so as to be
 in danger of being taken with
 its young, both the father and
 mother voluntarily give them-
 selves up to the pursuers, that

1. The Goose signifies a Son; and with the globe, Son of the Sun, the common title of the Pharaoh.

* Par B. leaves a lacuna.

† ἀντῶν, Par C. Leem.

ὅπως τὰ τέκνα διασωθῆ· their offspring may be saved ;
 δι' ἣνπερ αἰτίαν τοῖς Αἴ- and for this reason the Egyp-
 γυπτίοις εἶδοξε σεβάσειν tians have thought fit to con-
 τὸ ζῶον. secrete this animal.

LIV. HOW A FOOL.

νδ'. Πῶς ἄνουν.

Πελεκᾶνα δὲ γράφον- When they depict a PELI-
 τες, ἄνουν τὲ ἥδε καὶ CAN, they signify both a *fool*,
 ἄφρονα σημαίνουσιν. ἑ- and an *idiot*, because although
 πειδὴ δυνάμενος ἐν τοῖς like other winged creatures it
 ὑψηλοτέροις τόποις κατα- is able to deposit its eggs on
 τίθεσθαι τὰ ἑαυτοῦ ὡς, the higher places, it does not,
 ὥσπερ καὶ τὰ λοιπὰ τῶν but it merely scrapes up the
 πετεινῶν, τοῦτο οὐ ποιεῖ· earth and there lays its eggs.
 ἀλλὰ γὰρ καὶ ἀνορύξας And the people observing this,
 γῆν, ἐκεῖ κατατίθεται τὰ surround the place with dried
 γεννώμενα. ὅπερ ἐπιγνό- cows' dung, to which they
 τες ἄνθρωποι, τῷ τόπῳ apply fire. And when the
 βοὸς ἀφόδευμα ξηρὸν πε- pelican sees the smoke, by en-
 ριτιθέασιν, ᾧ καὶ πῦρ deavouring to extinguish the
 ὑποβάλλουσι.* θεασάμε- fire with its wings, she on the
 νος δὲ ὁ πελεκᾶν τὸν καπ- contrary kindles it by their
 νὸν, τοῖς ἰδίῳις πτεροῖς motion : and thus, her wings
 βουλόμενος ἀποσβέσαι τὸ being burnt by the fire, she
 πῦρ, ἐκ τῶν ἐναντίων κατὰ easily becomes a prey for the

* Mor. Par A. ἐπεμβάλλουσι.

τὴν κίνησιν ἐξάπτει αὐτοῦ ὑφ' οὗ κατακαίόμενος* τὰ ἑαυτοῦ πτερὰ, εὐσουλ-
ληπτότερος τοῖς κνηγοῖς γίνεται. δι' ἣν αἰτίαν οὐκ ἐνομίσθη ἐσθίειν τοὺς ἱερέας αὐτὸν, ἐπειδὴ ἀπαξιαπλῶς ὑπὲρ τέκνων ποιεῖται τὸν ἀγῶνα. Αἰγυπτίων δὲ οἱ λοιποὶ † ἐσθίουσι, λέγοντες, ὅτι μὴ κατὰ νοῦν τὴν μάχην, ὥσπερ οἱ χηνάλω-
πεκες, ἀλλὰ κατὰ ἄνοιαν ‡ ὁ πελεκᾶν ποιεῖται.

fowlers. And because it enters into the contest simply for the sake of its young, the priests consider it unlawful to eat it. But the rest of the Egyptians eat it, alleging that the pelican does not enter into the contest with discretion, as do the geese, but with folly.

LV. HOW THEY REPRESENT GRATITUDE.

νέ. Πῶς εὐχαριστίαν δηλοῦσι.

Εὐχαριστίαν γράφοντες, κουκούφαν ζωγραφοῦσι· διότι τοῦτο μόνον τῶν ἀλόγων ζώων ἐπειδὴν ὑπὸ τῶν γονέων ἐκτραφεῖ,

To represent *gratitude*, they delineate a CUCURPHA, because this is the only one of dumb animals, which, after it has been brought up by its parents,

The top of the sceptre placed in the hands of the gods is ornamented with a crested head which appears to be that of some beast, but was evidently considered by Horapollo to be the Hoopoo of Egypt. See Ch. 8. and title page.

* Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs. κατακαίόμενα.

† Par C. Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs. πολλοί

‡ Par A. B. Mor. Hæsch.—εὐνοϊαν, Al.

γρᾶσαι αὐτοῖς τὴν αὐ-
τὴν ἀνταποδίδωσι χάριν.
ἐν ᾧ γὰρ ὑπ' αὐτῶν ἐξε-
τρέφη τόπῳ, νεοσιᾶν
αὐτοῖς ποιήσας, τίλλει αὐ-
τῶν τὰ πτερὰ, τροφάς*
τε χορηγεῖ, μέχρις οὗ
πτεροφύσαντες οἱ γονεῖς,
βοηθεῖν ἑαυτοῖς δυνθῶσιν.
ὄθεν καὶ τῶν θεῶν σπήπ-
τρων κουκούφα προτίμησις
ἔστι.

repays their kindness to them
when they are old. For it
makes them a nest in the place
where it was brought up by
them, and trims their wings,
and brings them food, till the
parents acquire a new plu-
mage, and are able to assist
themselves : whence it is that
the Cucupha is honored by
being placed as an ornament
upon the sceptres of the gods.

LVI. HOW AN UNJUST AND UNGRATEFUL MAN.



νς'. Πῶς ἄδικον, καὶ ἀχάριστον.

* Ἄδικον δὲ καὶ ἀχάρι-
στον, ἵπποποτάμου ὄνυ-
χας δύο, κάτω βλέποντας,
γράφουσιν. οὗτος γὰρ ἐν

To symbolize an *unjust* and
ungrateful man, they depict
TWO CLAWS OF AN HIPPOPOTA-
MUS TURNED DOWNWARDS.

I. II. Typhonian figures.

II. Has the body of an hippopotamus.

* Par C. Ald. τρυφάς.

† Par A. B. C. Leem. insert ἐπι.

ἡλικία γενόμενος, πειράζει τὸν πατέρα, πότερόν ποτε ἰσχύει μαχόμενος πρὸς αὐτόν. καὶ ἂν μὲν ὁ πατὴρ ἐκχωρήσῃ, τόπον αὐτῷ μερίσας, οὗτος πρὸς τὴν ἑαυτοῦ μητέρα ἐπιγαμον ἤκει, καὶ ἔα τούτου ζῆν· εἰ δὲ μὴ ἐπιτρέψειεν* αὐτῷ ποιήσασθαι πρὸς τὴν μητέρα γάμον, ἀναιρεῖ αὐτόν, ἀνδρείότερος καὶ ἀμμαιότερος ὑπάρχων. εἰς δὲ τὸ κατώτατον μέρος ὄνουχας δύο ἵπποποτάμου, ὅπως οἱ ἄνθρωποι τοῦτο ὀρῶντες, καὶ τὸν περὶ αὐτοῦ λόγον ἐπιγινώσκοντες, προθυμότεροι εἰς εὐεργεσίαν ὑπάρχωσι.

For this animal when arrived at its prime of life contends in fight against his father, to try which is the stronger of the two, and should the father give way he assigns him a place of residence, permitting him to live, and consorts himself with his own mother; but if his father should not permit him to hold intercourse with his mother, he kills him, being the stronger and more vigorous of the two. And they make use of the lowest parts of the hippopotamus, the two claws, that men seeing this, and understanding the story of it, may be more inclined to kindness.

* ἐπιτρέψει, Ald. Mer. Leem.

LVII. HOW ONE WHO IS UNGRATEFUL TO HIS
BENEFACTORS.

νζ'. Πῶς ἀχάριστον πρὸς τοὺς ἑαυτοῦ εὐεργέτας.

Ἀχάριστον καὶ μάχι-
μον * τοῖς ἑαυτοῦ εὐεργέ-
ταις σημαίνοντες, περι-
στερὴν ζωγραφοῦσιν. ὁ
γὰρ ἄρσην ἰσχυρότερος
γενόμενος, διώκει τὸν ἑαυ-
τοῦ πατέρα ἀπὸ τῆς
μητρὸς, καὶ οὕτως αὐτῇ
πρὸς γάμον μίσγεται. κα-
βαρὸν δὲ τοῦτὸ τὸ ζῶον
ὑπάρχειν δοκεῖ· ἐπειδὴ
οὔσης λοιμώδους κατα-
στάσεως, καὶ παντὸς ἐμ-
ψύχου τε καὶ ἀψύχου
νοσωδῶς διατιθεμένου, τοὺς
ἐσθίοντας τοῦτο μόνον, οὐ
μεταλαμβάνει † τῆς τοι-
αύτης κακίας. διόπερ κατ'
ἐκεῖνον τὸν καιρὸν, οὐδὲν
ἕτερον τῷ βασιλεῖ ἐν τρο-
φῆς μέρει παρατίθεται, εἰ

To signify a man that is
ungrateful and quarrelsome
with his benefactors, they de-
lineate a DOVE, for when the
male becomes the stronger, he
drives his father away from his
mother, and mates himself with
her. This creature however
seems to be pure, because
when any pestilential epidemic
rages, and every thing, animate
and inanimate, sickens with
disease, those persons alone
who feed upon this bird do
not share in so great a cala-
mity. Wherefore during such
a time nothing is served up to
the king as food except the
dove alone. And the same
food is served up to those who
are under a course of purifi-

* Treb. om.

† μεταλαμβάνειν?

μὴ μόνον περιστέρα. τὸ δὲ αὐτὸ καὶ † τοῖς ἐν ἀγνείαις οὔσι, διὰ τὸ ὑπηρετεῖσθαι τοῖς θεοῖς. ἰστορεῖται δὲ, ὅτι οὐ χολὴν ἔχει τοῦτο τὸ ζῶον.

cation, that they may minister to the gods. It is likewise reported that this creature has no gall.

LVIII. HOW AN IMPOSSIBILITY.



ἡ'. Πῶς τὸ ἀδύνατον γενέσθαι.

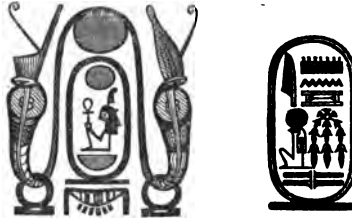
Ἄδύνατον δὲ γενέσθαι σημαίνοντες, πόδας ἀνθρώπου ἐν ὕδατι περιπατοῦντας ζωγραφοῦσιν ἢ καὶ ἄλλως βουλόμενοι τὸ αὐτὸ σημαίνειν, ἀκέφαλον ἄνθρωπον περιπατοῦντα ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἀδύνατα δὲ ἀμφότερα ὑπάρχοντα, εὐλόγως εἰς τοῦτο παρελήφασιν.

To signify an *impossibility*, they represent A MAN'S FEET WALKING ON THE WATER; or when they would signify the same thing differently, they delineate A HEADLESS MAN WALKING. And since these are both impossibilities, they have with good reason selected them for this purpose.

Well known hieroglyphics not yet interpreted. The second is from the ceiling of the Ramesseion.

† Par A. B. C. Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs. om.

LIX. HOW A VERY BAD KING.



νθ'. Πῶς βασιλέα κάριστον.

Βασιλέα δὲ κάριστον* To denote a *very bad* [a
[κάλλιστον? κράτιστον?] very good? a very powerful?] *king*, they depict a SERPENT
δηλοῦντες, ὄφιν ζωγρα- in the form of a circle, whose
φοῦσι κοσμοειδῶς ἐσχη- tail they place in his mouth,
ματισμένον, οὗ τὴν οὐρὰν and they write the name of
ἐν τῷ στόματι ποιούσι· the king in the middle of the
τὸ δὲ ὄνομα τοῦ βασιλέως coil, intimating that the king
ἐν μέσῳ τῷ εἰλίγματι governs the world. The ser-
γράφουσιν, αἰνιττόμενοι pent's name among the Egyp-
γράφειν, τὸν βασιλέα τοῦ tians is Meisi.
κόσμου κρατεῖν. τὸ δὲ
ὄνομα τοῦ ὄφεως παρ' Αἰ-
γυπτιοῖς ἐστὶ μεισί.*

i. An oval decorated with the basilisks, containing the prenomēn of Amunoph III.

ii. A plain oval containing the name of Ramesses II. 'Amun me Ramesses.' The oval is considered to have been originally a serpent coiled.

* κάριστον, Ald.—Pier. mentions a reading κάλλιστον.—De Pauw. proposes ἀριστον.—Merc. κράτιστον.

LX. HOW A VIGILANT KING.

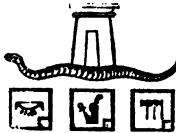


ξ'. Πῶς βασιλέα φύλακα.

Ἐτέρως δὲ βασιλέα φύλακα δηλοῦντες, τὸν μὲν ὄφιν ἐγρηγορότα ζωγραφοῦσιν· ἀντὶ δὲ τοῦ ὀνόματος τοῦ βασιλέως, φύλακα ζωγραφοῦσιν. οὗτος γὰρ φύλαξ ἐστὶ τοῦ παντὸς κόσμου. καὶ ἐκάστοτε τὸν βασιλέα. ἐπεγρήγορον εἶναι.

And otherwise to denote a *vigilant king*, they depict the *SERPENT (UPON THE WATCH)*, and in the place of the king's name they depict a *watcher*: for he is the guardian of the whole world; and the king ought to be vigilant everywhere.

LXI. HOW THEY DESIGNATE A RULER OF THE WORLD.



ξά'. Πῶς μνύουσι κοσμοκράτορα.

Πάλιν δὲ τὸν βασιλέα Again when they would

- i. After the king's name has been once or twice given in an inscription, a serpent seems to be sometimes substituted.
- ii. From *Belsoni's tomb*.
- iii. *Golden house or palace*.—Sh. 380.
- iv. *King's house or palace*.—Sh. 379.
- v. *God's house or temple*.—Sh. 371.

κοσμοκράτορα νομίζοντες
καὶ μνηύοντες, αὐτὸν μὲν
ὄφιν ζωγραφοῦσιν ἐν μέσῳ
δὲ αὐτοῦ, οἶκον μέγαν
δεικνύουσιν εὐλόγως. ὁ γὰρ
βασιλεὺς οἶκος, παρ' αὐ-
τοῦ - - ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ.*

signify and designate a *king*
who rules the world, they
delineate the same SERPENT,
and in the middle thereof they
represent a LARGE HOUSE, and
with reason for the royal abode
from him - - - - - in the
world.

LXII. HOW A PEOPLE OBEDIENT TO THEIR KING.



ξβ'. Πῶς λαὸν πειθήνιον βασιλεῖ.

Λαὸν πρὸς βασιλέα
πειθήνιον δηλοῦντες, μέ-
λισσαν ζωγραφοῦσι. καὶ
γὰρ μόνον τῶν ἄλλων ζώων,
βασιλέα ἔχει, ᾧ τὸ λοιπὸν
τῶν μελισσῶν ἔπεται πλῆ-
θος, καθὼ καὶ οἱ ἄνθρωποι
πεΐθονται βασιλεῖ. αἰνίτ-
τονται δὲ ἐκ τῆς τοῦ μέ-
λιτος † - - ἐκ τῆς τοῦ

To denote a *people obedient*
to their king, they depict a
BEE, for this is the only one
of all creatures which has a
king whom the rest of the tribe
of bees obey, as men serve
their king. And they inti-
mate from the honey's - - -
- - - from the force of the
creature's sting - - - that

Champollion interprets this as 'King of an obedient peo-
ple;' Sharpe, as 'King of Upper and Lower Egypt.'—
Sh. 417. 419.

* Treb. om. from ὁ γὰρ.

† Ald. Mer. χρηστότητος καὶ in margin.

κέντρον τοῦ ζώου δυνά- - - - should be both lenient
 μεις† - - - χρηστὸν and firm in - - - - and ad-
 ἅμα καὶ εὐτονον εἶναι ministration.
 πρὸς‡ - καὶ διοίκησιν.§

LXIII. HOW A KING WHO GOVERNS A PART OF THE
 WORLD.

ξγ'. Πῶς βασιλέα μέρους κόσμου κρατοῦντα.

Βασιλέα δὲ οὐ τοῦ When they would symbolize
 παντὸς κόσμου κρατοῦν- a king who governs not all
 τα, μέρους δὲ, βουλόμενοι but a part of the world, they
 σημῆναι, ἡμίτομον ὄφιν depict HALF A SERPENT. For
 ζωγραφούσι· δηλοῦντες by this creature they denote
 τὸν μὲν βασιλέα διὰ τοῦ a king, and by half of it, that
 ζώου· ἡμίτομον δὲ, ὅτι οὐ he is not king over all the
 τοῦ παντὸς κόσμου. world.

LXIV. HOW ONE WHO GOVERNS ALL THINGS.*

ξδ'. Πῶς παντοκράτορα.*

Παντοκράτορα δὲ ἐκ They symbolize one who
 τῆς τοῦ ζώου τελειώσεως governs all things by the per-

† Ald. Mer. βασιλέα in margin.

‡ Mer. leaves no lacuna.—Ald. εἶναι - - - - πρὸς.—Par. A. B.
 χρηστὸν εἶναι ἅμα καὶ εὐτονον.

§ Treb. om. from αἰνίττονται.

* See the winged globe and serpent in the frontispiece, which is
 called Agathodæmon, and is said to signify the spirit that pervades
 the universe. See also the Egg and Serpent in Pl. I.

σημαίνουσι, πάλιν τὸν
 ὀλόκληρον ὄφιν ζωγρα-
 φοῦντες. οὕτω παρ' αὐτοῖς
 τοῦ παντὸς κόσμου τὸ
 διήκον ἐστὶ πνεῦμα. ||

fect form of the same animal,
 again depicting the ENTIRE
 SERPENT: for amongst them
 it is the spirit that pervades
 the universe.

LXV. HOW A FULLER.*

ξέ'. Πῶς γραφέα.*

Γραφέα* δὲ δηλοῦντες,
 δύο πόδας ἀνθρώπου ἐν
 ὕδατι ζωγραφοῦσι. τοῦτο
 δὲ, ἀπὸ τῆς τοῦ ἔργου†
 ὁμοιότητος δηλοῦσι.

To denote a fuller, they
 depict the TWO FEET OF A MAN
 IN WATER, and they depict this
 from the resemblance of the
 work.

LXVI. HOW A MONTH.‡

ξς'. Πῶς μῆνα.‡

Μῆνα δὲ γράφοντες,
 σελήνης σχῆμα, καθὸ καὶ
 πρόκειται, ἔχον εἴκοσι καὶ
 ὀκτὼ ἡμέρας ἰσημερινῶν
 μόνων, ἐξ εἰκοσιτεσσάρων
 ὡρῶν τῆς ἡμέρας ὑπαρ-

To represent a month, they
 depict as before explained the
 figure of the MOON when it has
 attained the age of eight and
 twenty days of equal lengths,
 each day containing twenty-

|| Treb. om. from οὕτω.

* γραφέα, Par B. C.—Qy. Kneph, the spirit pervading the uni-
 verse, and moving on the water. See Chaps. 25 and 58.

† Par A. B. Pier. Leem.—έρμοῦ, A1.

‡ Treb. om. this chap.—See illustrations of Chap. 4.

χούσης ζωγραφοῦσι, καθ' αἶς καὶ ἀνατέλλει· ταῖς δὲ λοιπαῖς δύο, ἥ ἐν δύοι ἐστί.

four hours, for during these it is apparent, and in the remaining two it is in a state of evanescence.

LXVII. HOW A RAVACIOUS, OR PROLIFIC, OR FURIOUS MAN.

ξζ. Πῶς ἄρπαγα, ἢ πολύγονον, ἢ μαινόμενον.

Ἄρπαγα δὲ, ἢ πολύγονον, ἢ μαινόμενον βουλόμενοι σημήναι, κροκοδείλον ζωγραφοῦσι, διὰ τὸ, πολύγονον* καὶ πολύτεκνον ὑπάρχειν καὶ μαινόμενον. ἐπ' ἂν γὰρ ἄρπάσαι τὸ βουλόμενος ἀποτύχη, θυμωθεῖς, καθ' αὐτοῦ μαίνεταιαι.

When they would symbolize a *ravacious*, or *prolific*, or *furious man*, they delineate a *CROCODILE*, because it is prolific [?], and fertile in offspring, and furious. For if it fails in its intention of seizing any thing it rages in anger against itself.

LXVIII. HOW SUNRISE.

ξη'. Πῶς ἀνατολήν.

Ἀνατολήν δὲ λέγοντες, δύο ὀφθαλμούς κροκοδείλου

To express *sunrise* they depict the **TWO EYES** OF A **CRO-**

§ PAR A. B. om.

* De Pauw suggests *πολυκτόνον* or *πολυφόνον*.—Leem. *πολυφάνον*.

ζωγραφουσιν. ἐπειδήπερ* CODILE, because of the whole
 παντὸς σώματος ζώου οἱ body of the animal its eyes
 ὀφθαλμοὶ ἐκ τοῦ βυθοῦ glare conspicuously from the
 ἀναφαίνονται. deep.

LXIX. HOW SUNSET.



ξϚ. Πῶς δύσιν.

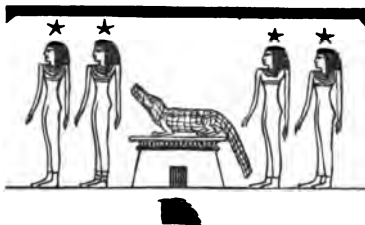
Δυσιν δὲ λέγοντες, προ- To denote sunset, they re-
 κόδειλον κεκυφῶτα ζωγρα- present a CROCODILE TENDING
 φοῦσι. αὐτότοκον † γὰρ DOWNWARDS, for this animal
 καὶ κατωφερὲς τὸ ζῶον. is self productive [?] and in-
 clining downwards.

*This illustration is from the descent in Belzoni's tomb.
 The central group is connected with the sun, and the
 stags' heads appear to be emblems of eternity, or reno-
 vation. See Pl. II. and also Book II. Chap. 21.*

* Gesner. Bochart. De Pauw. sug. ἐπειδή περὶ.

† Gesner. sug. κατωπὸν.—Causs. αὐτόκυπτον.—De Pauw.
 αὐτόκυφον, self bending.

LXX. HOW THEY SHADOW FORTH DARKNESS.



ό. Πῶς σιάζουσι σκότος.

Σκότος δὲ λέγοντες, κροκοδείλου οὐρανὸν ζωγραφουῦσιν ἐπειδὴ οὐκ ἄλλως εἰς ἀφανισμόν καὶ ἀπώλειαν φέρει ὁ κροκόδειλος οὐδ' ἂν λάβηται ζώου, εἰ μὴ τῇ οὐρᾷ τῇ ἑαυτοῦ διαπληκτίσας ἄτοπον † παρασκευάσει. ἐν τούτῳ γὰρ τῷ μέρει ἢ τοῦ κροκοδείλου ἰσχὺς καὶ ἀνδρεία ὑπάρχει. ἰκανῶν δὲ καὶ

To denote *darkness*, they represent the *TAIL OF A CROCODILE*, for by no other means does the crocodile inflict death and destruction on any animal which it may have caught, than by first striking it with its tail, and rendering it incapable of motion: for in this part lies the strength and power of the crocodile. And now, though there are other

- i. The illustration is from *Beksoni's tomb*. There are properly 12 figures of each side of the crocodile; representing the hours of the day and night.
- ii. The fig. beneath certainly signifies darkness; and is supposed to represent the end of a crocodile's tail.

† ἄτονον, Ald. Mer. Leem.

ἄλλων ὑπαρχόντων ση- appropriate symbols deducible
 μείων, ἐν τῇ τῶν κροκο- from the nature of the cro-
 δείλων φύσει, αὐτάρκη τὰ codile, those which we have
 δόξαντα ἐν τῷ πρώτῳ mentioned are sufficient for the
 συγγράμματι εἰπεῖν. first Book.

Τέλος τοῦ πρώτου βιβλίου.

END OF THE FIRST BOOK.

HORAPOLLO.

BOOK II.

ΩΡΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΟΣ ΝΕΙΛΩΟΥ

ΙΕΡΟΓΛΥΦΙΚΑ

Α ΕΞΗΝΕΓΚΕ ΜΕΝ ΑΥΤΟΣ ΑΙΓΥΠΤΙΑΙ ΦΩΝΗ,

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**THE HIEROGLYPHICS OF
HORAPOLLO NILOUS**

**WHICH HE PUBLISHED IN THE EGYPTIAN TONGUE,
AND WHICH PHILIP TRANSLATED INTO
THE GREEK LANGUAGE.**

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BOOK II.

Διὰ δὲ τῆς δευτέρας
πραγματείας, περὶ τῶν
λοιπῶν τὸν λόγον ὑγιῆ σοι
παραστήσομαι· ἃ δὲ καὶ
ἐξ ἄλλων ἀντιγράφων,
οὐκ ἔχοντα τιὰ ἐξήγησιν,
ἀναγκαίως ὑπέταξα.

In this second part of the
work, I shall present you with
the complete treatise of the
remaining subjects : and some
also from other writings, which
have no explanation, I have
deemed it requisite to subjoin.

I. WHAT THEY SIGNIFY BY DEPICTING A STAR.

α'. Τί ἀστέρα γράφοντες δηλοῦσιν.

Ἄστηρ παρ' Αἴγυπ-
τίοις γραφόμενος, ποτὲ
μὲν θεὸν † σημαίνει, ποτὲ
δὲ δεῖλιν, ‡ ποτὲ δὲ νύκτα,
ποτὲ δὲ χρόνον, ποτὲ δὲ
ψυχὴν ἀνδρῶπου ἄρρενος.

When a STAR is depicted by
the Egyptians, it sometimes
symbolizes *God*, sometimes
evening, sometimes *night*,
sometimes *time*, and some-
times the *soul* of a male man.

1. *The Star signifies God. See Book I. c. 13.*

† Ald. om.

‡ Ald. Mer. Treb. and F. om.

II. WHAT BY AN EAGLET.

β. Τί ἀετοῦ νεοσσὸν. §

Καὶ ἀετοῦ νεοσσὸν, ἀρ- An EAGLET symbolizes
 ρενογόνον καὶ κῦκλωδὸν something *prolific of males*,
 σημαίνει, || ἢ σπέρμα ἀν- or of a *circular form*, or the
 θρώπου. seed of man.

III. WHAT BY TWO FEET CONJOINED AND ADVANCING.

γ. Τί δύο πόδας συνηγμένους ¶ καὶ βεβηκότας.

Δυο πόδες συνηγμένοι ¶ Two FEET CONJOINED AND
 καὶ βεβηκότες, δρόμον ἢ ADVANCING, symbolize the
 λίου τὸν ἐν ταῖς χειμερί- course of the sun in the winter
 ναῖς* τροπαῖς σημαίνουσι. solstice.

III. See Book I. c. 58.

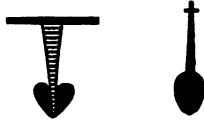
§ Treb. omits this chapter.

|| σημ Par A. B.—Ald. Mer. leave a lacuna.

¶ συνηγομενους and συνηγόμενοι, Ald. Mer.—συνημμενοι or
 συνημενοι, Par. C.—Pier. ment. the reading πολυπόδες συνηρ-
 γομένοι. De Pauw. sug. συνειργμένοι.

* Aug. Ald. Mer. Leem.—χειμερίας, AL.

IV. WHAT BY THE HEART OF A MAN SUSPENDED
BY THE WINDPIPE.



δ'. Τί ἀνθρώπου καρδίαν φάρυγγος ἤρτημένην.

Ἀνθρώπου καρδία φάρυγγος ἤρτημένη, ἀγαθοῦ ἀνθρώπου στόμα σημαίνει.

THE HEART OF A MAN SUSPENDED BY THE WINDPIPE signifies the *mouth of a good man*.

V HOW THEY DENOTE THE FRONT OF BATTLE.



ε'. Πῶς πολέμου στόμα.†

Πολέμου στόμα δηλοῦσιν ἀνθρώπου χεῖρες ζωγραφούμεναι, ἢ μὲν ὄπλον κρατοῦσα, ἢ δὲ τόξον.

THE HANDS OF A MAN, ONE HOLDING A SHIELD AND THE OTHER A BOW, when delineated, denote the *front of battle*

iv. *The first signifies Good, and seems to be the hieroglyphic referred to, but mistaken for the other. It is a musical instrument.*

v. *Victorious. Sh.*

† Treb. om. this chap.

VI. WHAT BY A FINGER.

ς'. Τί δάκτυλον.

Ἄνδρῶπου στόμαχον A FINGER denotes *the sto-*
 δηλοῖ δάκτυλος. † mach of a man.

VII. QUID PENIS MANU COMPRESSA.

ζ'. Τί αἰδοῖον χειρὶ κρατούμενον.

Αἰδοῖον χειρὶ κρατού- PENIS MANU COMPRESSA de-
 μενον, σωφροσύνην δηλοῖ notes *continnence in a man.*
 ἀνδρῶπου.

VIII. HOW THEY DENOTE DISEASE.

ή'. Πῶς νόσον δηλοῦσιν. §

Ἄνθη δὲ ἀνεμώνης, The FLOWERS OF THE ANE-
 νόσον ἀνδρῶπου σημαίνει. MONY denote *disease of a*
 man.

‡ Klap. sug. δακτύλιος. "A ring."

§ Par. B. om. this chap.

IX. HOW THE LOINS OF A MAN.

§. Πῶς ὀσφὺν ἀνδρώπου.

Ὅσφυν, ἢ στάσιν|| ἀν-
δρώπου βουλόμενοι ζωγρα-
φεῖν, τὸ νωτιαῖον ὀστοῦν
γράφομεν. τινὲς γὰρ λέ-
γουσι τὸ σπέρμα ἐκεῖθεν
φέρεισθαι.

When we would denote the
loins or the constitution of a
man we depict the *BACK BONE* ;
for some hold that the seed
proceeds from thence.

X. HOW THEY SYMBOLIZE PERMANENCY AND SAFETY.



ί. Πῶς διαμονὴν καὶ ἀσφάλειαν σημαίνουσιν.

Ὅρτυγος ὀστέον ζω-
γραφοῦμενον, διαμονὴν καὶ
ἀσφάλειαν σημαίνει· διότι
δυσπαθὲς ἐστὶ τὸ τοῦ ζώου
ὀστέον.

THE BONE OF A QUAIL when
delineated symbolizes *perma-*
nency and *safety* ; because
the bone of this animal is dif-
ficult to be affected.

1. *The quail.*

II. *Signifies " Good."* Sh. 625.

III. *Bone with flesh upon it is common. Probably*
" Son." Sh. 1012.

|| Treb. om.

§ Hæsch. Pier. De Psuw. sug. δρυγος.

XI. HOW CONCORD.

ια. Πῶς ὁμόνοιαν.

"Ανδρωποι δύο δεξιού- TWO MEN JOINING THEIR
μενοι,* ὁμόνοιαν δηλοῦσι. RIGHT HANDS denote *concord*.

XII. HOW A CROWD.



ιβ. Πῶς ὄχλον.

"Ανθρωπος καθωπλισ- AN ARMED MAN SHOOTING
μένος, καὶ τοξεύων, ὄχλον WITH A BOW denotes a *crowd*
σημαίνει. † [troop or army ?]

XIII. HOW ADMEASUREMENT.

ιγ. Πῶς ἀναμέτρῃσιν.

"Ανθρώπου δάκτυλος, THE FINGER OF A MAN de-
ἀναμέτρῃσιν σημαίνει. notes *admeasurement*.

xii. This signifies soldiers.—Sh. 988, 910. Perhaps
an army. Sh.

* ἀξιούμενοι, Al.

† δηλοῖ, Par A. B. Aug. Loem.

XIV. HOW A WOMAN PREGNANT.

ιδ'. Πῶς γυναῖκα ἔγκυον. †

Γυναῖκα ἔγκυον* βου- When they would denote a
 λόμενοι δηλῶσαι, ἡλίου woman pregnant, they por-
 κύκλον σὺν ἀστέρι, μετὰ tray the ORB OF THE SUN WITH
 ἡλίου § δίσκου δίχα τε- A STAR AND THE SUN'S DISK
 τμημένου, σημαίνουσιν. BISECTED.

XV. HOW WIND.

ιε'. Πῶς ἄνεμον.

Τὴν ἀνατολὴν ἰέραξ A HAWK soaring on high
 ἐπὶ μετεώρου θέων, ἀνέ- towards the east, signifies the
 μους σημαίνει. ἔτι καὶ winds; [the spirit or soul?]
 ἄλλως, ¶ ἰέραξ διατετα- and again otherwise, a HAWK
 μένος τὰς πτέρυγας ἐν with its wings expanded in the
 ἀέρι, οἷον πτέρυγας ἔχων,* air symbolizes the wind, as
 ἄνεμον σημαίνει. having wings.

xv. See B. I. c. 6, and 7.

† Aug. Par A. Leem.—ἔγγυον, Al. § Ald. has an asterisk.

¶ πῶς τὸ αὐτὸ, Aug.—Par A. B. om.

* Leem. has received ἔχοντα, which Mer. sug.—Treb. om. from οἶον.

XVI. HOW FIRE.

ισ'. Πῶς πῦρ.

Καπνὸς εἰς οὐρανὸν ἀναβαίνων, πῦρ δηλοῖ. SMOKE ascending towards heaven denotes *fire*.

XVII. HOW A WORK.

ιζ'. Πῶς ἔργον.

Βοὸς † ἀρρένος κέρασ γραφόμενον, ἔργον σημαίνει. A BULL'S HORN when depicted signifies *work*.

XVIII. HOW PUNISHMENT.



ιη'. Πῶς ποινήν.

Βοὸς ‡ δὲ θηλείας κέρασ γραφόμενον, ποινήν σημαίνει. A COW'S HORN when depicted signifies *punishment*.

XVIII. *The Horns are used as the syllable "An," as in Anepo.*

† το, Par C. Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs. Treb.

‡ το, Par C. Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs. Treb.

XIX. HOW IMPIETY.



θ'. Πῶς ἀνοσιότητα.

Προτομή σὺν μαχαίρᾳ ἄνοσιότητα
 γραφομένη ἀνοσιότητα δηλοῖ.
 A BUST portrayed WITH A
 sword denotes impiety.

XX. HOW AN HOUR [EXECRATION ?].



κ'. Πῶς ἄραν. §

Ἴππος ποτάμιος γρα- ἄραν §
 φόμενος ἄραν § δηλοῖ.
 A RIVER HORSE when de-
 lineated, denotes an hour.

XIX. Not ascertained.

XX. Commonly found near Osiris in the judgment scenes. Qγ.

§ Causs. sug. ἄραν, A curse.—De Pauw. φθόραν, Destruction.

XXI. HOW ANYTHING OF LONG DURATION.

κα. Πῶς πολυχρόνιον.||

Ἐλαφος κατ' ἐνιαυτὸν βλαστάνει τὰ κέρατα ζωγραφουμένη δὲ, πολυχρόνιον σημαίνει. A STAG shoots its horns every year, and when depicted, signifies anything of long duration.

XXII. HOW AVERSION.

κβ'. Πῶς ἀποστροφὴν.

Λύκος, ἢ κύων ἀπεσ-τραμμένος, ἀποστροφὴν δηλοῖ. A WOLF OR A DOG AVERTED denotes aversion.

xxi. Several inverted stags' heads alternating with hieroglyphics, are delineated in the judgment scene, where they seem to have some connexion with duration, perhaps eternity. See Pl. 3. and B. I. c. 69.

|| Par. A. B. Pier. πολυχρόνια.

XXIII. HOW A FUTURE ACT.



κγ'. Πῶς μέλλον ἔργον.*

Ἄκοη ζωγραφουμένη, An EAR when delineated
μέλλον ἔργον σημαίνει. symbolizes a future act.

XXIV. HOW A MURDERER, OR THE BLOOD OF A CROCODILE.

κδ'. Πῶς φονέα, ἢ αἷμα κροκοδείλου.

Σφήξ ἀεροπετής, ἦτοι † A WASP FLYING IN THE AIR
αἷμα κροκοδείλου βλαπ- signifies either the noxious
τικόν, ἢ φονέα ‡ σημαί- blood of a crocodile, or a mur-
νει. derer.

XXV. HOW DEATH.

κε'. Πῶς θάνατον.

Νυκτικέραξ θάνατον A NIGHT RAVEN signifies
σημαίνει. ἄφνω γὰρ ἐπέερ- death; § for it suddenly poun-

xxiii. *Immortal or Eternal.* Sh. 318. *Qy.* Extension in time. The coil may have been mistaken by Horapollo for an ear.

* Treb. om. chap. xxiii.

† ἢ τὸ?

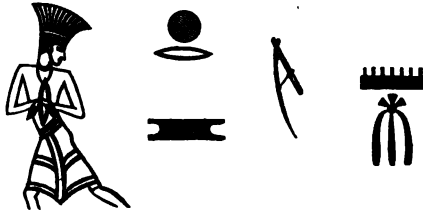
‡ Vat. Leem.—φόνον, Al.

§ *Qy.* Erebus? The Hebrew word עָרֵב, ERREB, signifies either

χεται τοῖς νεοσσοῖς τῶν
 κορωνῶν † κατὰ τὰς νύκ-
 τας, ὡς ὁ θάνατος ἄφνω
 ἐπέρχεται.

ces upon the young of the
 crows by night, as death sud-
 denly overtakes men.

XXVI. HOW LOVE.



κς'. Πῶς ἔρωτα.

Παγὶς ἔρωτα ὡς Θή-
 ραν || θανατ τερόν,
 ἀέρα σημαίνει. ὄν,
 υῖόν.

A NOOSE denotes love as . . .

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i. A prisoner handcuffed. Horapollo seems to have confounded the handcuff with the mouth in the next expression, which Mr. Wilkinson considers to signify "beloved."

ii. iii. iv. v. vi. Also signify beloved.

Erebus darkness, or the Nightraven, and it appears by Damascius, that the Sidonians substituted this bird as an emblem of Erebus.—An. Frag. p. 319.

‡ Par C. Ald. Mer. Pier. Caus. Treb. om.

|| . . . τὸν ἀέρα σημαίνει, Ald. Mer. Pier. who also mentions, πτερόν ἀέρα.—θανάτου . . . τερόν ἀέρα σημαίνει,—ὄν υῖόν, Par A. B. ω υῖόν . . . τὸν ἀέρα σημαίνει . . . τὸν υῖόν Par C.—Treb. Laqueus amorem significat. "A noose signifies love."

XXVII. HOW THE MOST ANCIENT.



κζ'. Πῶς παλαιότατον.

Λόγοι καὶ φύλλα, ἢ WORDS AND LEAVES OF A
βιβλίον ἐσφραγισμένον, SEALED BOOK denote *the most*
παλαιότατον δηλοῖ. ancient.

XXVIII. HOW A SIEGE.



κη'. Πῶς ¶ πολιορκίαν.

Κλίμαξ, πολιορκίαν, A LADDER signifies a *siege*
διὰ τὸ* ἀνόμαλον. by reason of its inequality [?].

xxvii. *The Papyri are found tied up, and sealed with clay above the knot.*

xxviii. *A kind of tower frequently found in battle scenes.*

¶ Ald. Mer. insert ποιεῖ.—Mer. ποιῶσι, in margin.

* De Pauw. sug. καί.

XXIX. HOW INFINITE, OR A SONG, OR FATE.



κθ'. Πῶς ἄπειρον, ἢ Μοῦσαν, ἢ μοῖραν.

Γράμματα ἑπτὰ, ἐν SEVEN LETTERS INCLUDED
 δυοῖ δακτύλοις † περιεχό- WITHIN TWO FINGERS [RINGS?]
 μενα Μοῦσαν, ἢ ἄπειρον, symbolize a *song*, or *infinite*,
 ἢ μοῖραν σημαίνει. or *fate*.

XXX. WHAT ONE LINE BENT OVER ANOTHER SIGNIFIES.



λ'. Τί σημαίνει γραμμῆ, ἐπικεκαμμένη ἐτέρα.

Γραμμὴ ὀρθὴ μία, ἅμα A straight line with a
 γραμμῆ ἐπικεκαμμένη* curved line above it signifies
 ἢ δέκα, γραμμὰς ἐπιπέ- TEN PLANE LINES. †
 δους σημαίνουσι.

xxix. 1. The number 70 is very common on funereal tablets, and signifies "The Days of mourning." Sh. 676. The Egyptians still sing their lamentations, perhaps a relic of the funereal chant called *Maneros* by *Plutarch*.
 2. An amulet with some mystic signification.

xxx. The plane lines denote units, the curved 10's, the coils 100's, and the other 1000's.

† De Pauw. sug. δακτύλιος, "rings."—Reuv. ἐντρος δακτυλίου, "within a ring." Qy. Bent into the form of a ring.

‡ Qy. When a curved line is placed above a straight line it denotes ten of such straight lines.

* Pier. mentions, ἐπικεκλημένη, ἢ . . . ἢ δέκα.—Leem. om. ἢ

XXXI. WHAT THEY DENOTE BY DEPICTING A SWALLOW.



λα. Τί δηλοῦσι χελιδόνα γράφοντες.

Τὴν ὀλοσχερῇ σημαί-
 νειν βουλόμενοι πτῆσιν γο-
 νικὴν καταλειφθεῖσαν τοῖς
 υἱέσι, χελιδόνα ζωγρα-
 φοῦσιν. ἐκείνη γὰρ κυλίει
 ἑαυτὴν εἰς πηλόν, καὶ
 κτίζει τοῖς νεοττοῖς φωλεὸν
 μέλλουσα τεθῆναι.

When they would signify
 that *the whole of a parent's*
substance has been left to the
sons, they depict a SWALLOW.
 For she rolls herself in the
 mud, and builds a nest for
 her young, when she is her-
 self about to die.

XXXII. WHAT BY A BLACK DOVE.

λβ. Τί μέλαιναν περιστερὰν.

Γυναῖκα χήραν ἐπι-
 μείναςαν ἄχρι θανάτου
 θέλοντες σημεῖναι, περισ-
 τεράν μέλαιναν ζωγρα-
 φοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ οὐ συμ-
 μίγνυται ἐτέρῳ ἀνδρὶ, ἕως
 οὗ ἢ χηρεύσῃ. ||

When they would symbo-
 lise a *woman who remains a*
widow till death, they depict
 a BLACK DOVE; for this bird
 has no connexion with another
 mate from the time that it is
 widowed.

xxxI. *Jewels, valuables.* Sh. 551.

§ De Pauw. sug. ἐξ οὗ.

|| χηρεύει, Al.

XXXIII. WHAT BY AN ICHNEUMON.

λγ'. Τί ἰχνεύμονα.

Ἄνθρωπον ἀσθενῆ, καὶ μὴ δυνθόντα ἑαυτῷ βοηθῆσαι δι' ἑαυτοῦ, ἀλλὰ διὰ τῆς ἄλλων ἐπικουρίας, θέλοντες δηλώσαι, ἰχνεύμονα ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκείνη γὰρ ὅταν ἴδῃ ὄφιν, οὐ πρότερον ἐπιτίθεται αὐτῷ, ἀλλὰ βοᾷ τοὺς ἄλλους ἐπικαλουμένη, τότε ἐναντιοῦται τῷ ὄφει.

When they would represent a man that is feeble, and unable of himself to help himself, but who does so by the aid of others, they delineate an ICHNEUMON. For this animal, when it spies a serpent, does not at once attack it, but by its noise calls others to its assistance, and then attacks the serpent.

XXXIV. WHAT THEY DENOTE BY ENGRAVING ORIGANUM (WILD MARJORAM) FOR A HIEROGLYPHIC.

λδ'. Τί δηλοῦσιν ὀρίγανον ἱερογλυφοῦντες.

Λεῖψιν Ἰμυρμήκων βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, ὀρίγανον ἱερογλυφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ ποιεῖ λείπειν τοὺς μύρμηκας, ἀποτιθεμένη ἐν τόπῳ, ὅπουθεν ἐξέρχονται.

When they would symbolise the departure of ants, they engrave ORIGANUM. For if this plant be laid down over the spot from whence the ants issue forth, it causes them to desert it.

¶ Par. A. B. C. Ald. Mer. Leem — λείψον, ΑΙ.

XXXV. WHAT BY A SCORPION AND CROCODILE.



λέ. Τί σκορπίον, καὶ κροκόδειλον.

* Ἀνθρῶπον ἐχθρὸν, ἐτέρῳ ἴσῳ ἐναντιούμενον σημήναι θέλοντες, σκορπίον καὶ κροκόδειλον ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἑκάτερος γὰρ ἑκάτερον * ἀναιρεῖ. εἰ δὲ ἐναντίον καὶ ἀναιρετικὸν τοῦ ἐτέρου σημαίνουσι, κροκόδειλον ζωγραφοῦσιν, ἢ σκορπίον. ἀλλ' εἰ μὲν ὀξέως ἀναιροῦντα, κροκόδειλον ζωγραφοῦσιν· εἰ δὲ βραδέως ἀναιροῦντα, σκορπίον, διὰ τὸ δυσκίνητον.

When they would symbolise *one enemy engaging with another equal to himself*, they depict a SCORPION AND A CROCODILE. For these kill one another. But if they would symbolise *one who is hostile to, and has slain another*, they depict a CROCODILE or a SCORPION; and if he has slain him *speedily*, they depict a CROCODILE, but if *slowly*, a SCORPION, from its tardy motion.

XXXV. This seems to have some astronomical allusion. The Crocodile was one of the Vahans of the Sun, and the year began with Scorpio. It is not an uncommon hieroglyphic.

* ἑκάτερον γὰρ, Hæsch. De Pauw.

XXXVI. WHAT BY A WEASEL.

λς'. Τί γαλήν.

Γυναῖκα ἀνδρὸς ἔργα
 πράττουσαν βουλόμενοι
 σημήναι, γαλήν ζωγρα-
 φοῦσιν. αὐτὴ γὰρ ἄρρετος
 αἰδοῖον ἔχει, ὡς ὀστάριον.

When they would symbo-
 lise a woman performing the
 works of a man, they depict
 a WEASEL; quod maris pu-
 dendum habeat velut ossicu-
 lum.

XXXVII. WHAT BY A HOG.

λζ'. Τί χοῖρον.

Ὅτε βούλονται ἀνδρω-
 πον ἐξάλλη σημήναι, χοῖρον
 ζωγραφοῦσι, διὰ τὸ †
 τὴν φύσιν τοῦ χοίρου τοι-
 αύτην εἶναι. †

When they would symbo-
 lise a filthy man, they depict
 a HOG; from such being the
 nature of the hog.

XXXVII. There is an example of a hog in a judgment scene in the tombs of the kings, where, according to Champollion, it denotes the metempsychosis of a glutton condemned by Osiris into a hog.—Bonomi. See Pl. 3.

† Par. A. B. om. τὸ.

† οὔσαν, Par. A. B. C.

XXXVIII. HOW IMMODERATE ANGER.

λή. Πῶς θυμὸν ἄμετρον.

Εἰ δὲ θυμὸν ἄμετρον, If they would represent im-
 ὡς τε καὶ ἐκ τούτου πυ- moderate anger, so that he
 ρέττειν τὸν θυμούμενον, who is angry takes a fever
 λέοντα γράφουσιν, ἐκ- thereby, they depict a LION
 στοίζοντα § τοὺς ἰδίους BREAKING THE BONES OF ITS
 σκύμνους. καὶ λέοντα μὲν, OWN WHELPS. And they por-
 διὰ τὸν θυμὸν τοὺς σκύμ- tray the lion to signify anger,
 νους δὲ ἐκστοιζομένους, § and the whelps having their
 ἐπειδὴ τὰ ὄστᾶ τῶν bones broken, because the
 σκύμνων κοπτόμενα, πῦρ bones of the whelps when
 ἐκβάλλει. struck together emit sparks of
 fire.

XXXIX. HOW AN OLD MINSTREL.

λβ. Πῶς γέροντα μουσικόν.

Γέροντα μουσικὸν βου- When they would symbolise an old minstrel, they de-
 λόμενοι σημεῖναι, κύκνον pict a SWAN, for when old it
 ζωγραφοῦσιν. οὗτος γὰρ sings the sweetest melody.
 ἠδύτατον μέλος ᾄδει γη-
 ράσκων.

§ Hæsch. sug. and Leem. adopts ἐξοστειζοντα and ἐξοστειζο-
 μίνους.

XL. HOW THEY DENOTE A MAN WHO LIVES
WITH HIS WIFE.

μέ. Πῶς ἄνδρα δηλοῦσι συγγινόμενον τῇ ἑαυτοῦ γυναικί.

<p>Ἄνδρα συγγινόμενον τῇ γυναικί αὐτοῦ κατὰ μίξιν βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, δύο κορώνας γράφουσιν. αὐται γὰρ συμμίγνυνται ἀλλήλαις, ὡς μίγνυται ἄνθρωπος κατὰ φύσιν.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lise a man living in intercourse with his own wife, they de- pict two crows; for these birds cohabit with one another in the same manner as does a man by nature.</p>
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XLI. WHAT THEY INTIMATE BY PORTRAYING A
BLIND BEETLE.

μά. Τί δηλοῦσι κάνθαρον τυφλὸν γράφοντες.

<p>Ἄνδρα δὲ ὑπὸ ἡλι- ακῆς ἀκτίνος πυρέξαντα καὶ ἐντεῦθεν ἀποθανόντα βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, κάν- θαρον τυφλὸν γράφουσιν. οὗτος γὰρ ὑπὸ τοῦ ἡλίου τυφλούμενος ἀποθνήσκει.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lise a man who has caught a fever from a stroke of the sun, and died in consequence, they portray a BLIND BEETLE; for this creature dies after it has been blinded by the sun.</p>
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XLII. WHAT THEY DESIGN BY DEPICTING A MULE.

μβ. Τί δηλοῦσιν ἡμίονον γράφοντες.

Γυναῖκα δὲ στειραν When they would symbo-
 βουλόμενοι σημήναι, ἡμί- lise a barren woman, they
 νον γράφουσιν. αὕτη γὰρ delineate a MULE; for this
 διὰ τοῦτο στειρά ἐστι, animal is barren, quod ma-
 διὰ τὸ μὴ ἔχειν τὴν μήτ- tricem rectam non habet.
 ραν ἐπ' εὐθείας.

XLIII. HOW THEY DENOTE A WOMAN WHO HAS BROUGHT FORTH FEMALE INFANTS.

μγ. Πῶς δηλοῦσι γυναῖκα γενήσασαν θήλεα βρέφη.

Γυναῖκα γενήσασαν When they would symbo-
 θήλεα βρέφη πρώτως, lise a woman who has brought
 βουλόμενοι σημήναι, ταῦ- forth female infants first,
 ρον ἐπὶ τὰ ἀριστερὰ νεύ- they delineate a BULL INCLIN-
 οντα ζωγραφοῦσιν· εἰ δὲ ING TOWARDS THE LEFT: and
 ἀρρένα, πάλιν ταῦρον ἐπὶ again if male infants, then
 τὰ δεξιὰ νεύοντα ζωγρα- they delineate a BULL inclining
 φοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ ἀπο to the right. Is enim ex con-
 τῆς ὀχείας κᾶταβαίνων,* gressu discedens, si ad lævam

* καταβάλλον, Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs.

εἰ μὲν ἐπὶ τὰ ἀριστερὰ conversus fuerit, genitam esse
 κατέλθοι, θῆλυ γεννᾶται † fœminam indicat, si ad dexte-
 εἰ δὲ ἐπὶ τὰ δεξιὰ κατέλ- ram marem.
 θοι ἀπὸ τῆς ὀχείας, ἄρρεν
 τίκεται.

XLIV. HOW THEY DENOTE WASPS.

μδ. Πῶς δηλοῦσι σφήκας.

Σφήκας βουλόμενοι ση- When they would denote
 μῆναι, νεκρὸν ἵππον ζω- wasps, they depict a DEAD
 γραφοῦσιν. ἐκ γὰρ τούτου HORSE; for many wasps are
 ἀποθανόντος, πολλοὶ γί- generated from him when
 νονται σφήκες. dead.

XLV. HOW A WOMAN WHO MISCARRIES.

μέ. Πῶς δηλοῦσι γυναῖκα ἐκτιτρώσκουσαν.

Γυναῖκα ἐκτιτρώσκου- When they would symbo-
 σαν βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, lise a woman who miscarries,
 ἵππον πατοῦσαν λύκον they depict a MARE KICKING
 ζωγραφοῦσιν. οὐ μόνον A WOLF; for not only by

† γεννᾶσθαι σημαίνει, Ald. Mer. Causs. Pier.

γὰρ πατούσα τὸν λύκον kicking a wolf does a mare
ἐκτιτρώσκει ἢ ἵππος, ἀλλὰ miscarry, but it immediately
καὶ τὸ ἵχνος ἐὰν πατήσῃ miscarries if it should merely
τοῦ λύκου, παραχρῆμα tread on the footstep of a
ἐκτιτρώσκει. wolf.

XLVI. HOW A MAN WHO CURES HIMSELF BY AN ORACLE.

μτ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἰατρούοντα ἑαυτὸν ἀπὸ χρησμοῦ.

Ἄνθρωπον ἀπὸ χρησ- When they would symbo-
μοῦ ἰατρούοντα ἑαυτὸν lize a man who cures himself
βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, φάσ- by an oracle, they delineate
σαν κρατοῦσαν φύλλον a WOOD PIGEON CARRYING A
δάφνης ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἑ- BRANCH OF LAUREL; for this
κείνη γὰρ ὅτε ἀρρώστει, bird when sick deposits a
φύλλον ἐπιτίθει δάφνης branch of laurel in its nest,
εἰς τὴν νοσσιὰν ἑαυτῆς and recovers.
καὶ ὑγιαίνει.

XLVII. HOW A SWARM OF GNATS.

μζ'. Πῶς κώνωπας πολλούς.

Κώνωπας πολλὰς ἐπι- When they would represent
φοιτῶντας βουλόμενοι ζω- many gnats swarming to-
γραφήσαι, σκόληκας γρά- gether, they depict MAGGOTS;
φουσιν. ἐκ ἧ τούτων γὰρ for from them gnats are en-
γεγῶνται οἱ κώνωπες. gendered.

§ Ald. om.

XLVIII. HOW A MAN THAT HAS NO BILE, BUT RECEIVES IT FROM ANOTHER.

μή. Πῶς ἄνδρα μὴ ἔχοντα χολήν, ἀλλ' ἀφ' ἑτέρου δεχόμενον.

<p>Ἄνδρα μὴ ἔχοντα χολήν αὐτοφυῶς, ἀλλ' ἀφ' ἑτέρου δεχόμενον γρά- φοντες, περιστεράν ζω- γραφοῦσιν, ἔχουσιν τὰ ὀπίσθια ὀρθά. ἐν ἐκείνοις γὰρ τὴν χολήν ἔχει.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lize a man who has naturally no bile but receives it from another, they depict a DOVE WITH HER HINDER PARTS ERECT; for in them she has her bile.</p>
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XLIX. HOW A MAN WHO DWELLS SECURELY IN A CITY.

μβ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἀσφαλῶς οἰκοῦντα πόλιν.

<p>Ἄνθρωπον ἀσφαλῶς οἰκοῦντα πόλιν σημεῖναι βουλόμενοι, ἀετὸν λίθον βαστάζοντα ζωγραφοῦ- σιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ ἀπὸ θα- λάσσης, ἢ ἀπὸ τῆς γῆς λίθον ἐπαίρει, καὶ τίθεισιν εἰς τὴν ἰδίαν νοσσιάν, διὰ τὸ ἀσφαλῶς μένειν.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lize a man who dwells securely in a city, they depict an EAGLE CONVEYING A STONE; for he takes up a stone, either from the sea or land, and deposits it in his nest, to keep it steady.</p>
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L. HOW A MAN WHO IS WEAK AND PERSECUTED
BY ANOTHER.

ν'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἀσθενῶς ἔχοντα, καὶ ὑφ' ἑτέρου
καταδιωκόμενον.

"Ἄνθρωπον ἀσθενῶς ἔ- When they would symbo-
χοντα, καὶ καταδιωκόμε- lise a man that is weak and
νον ὑπὸ ἰσχυροτέρου βου- persecuted by a stronger, they
λόμενοι σημήναι, ὠτίδα delineate a BUSTARD AND A
καὶ ἵππον ζωγραφοῦσιν. HORSE; for this bird flies away
αὕτη γὰρ ἵπταται, ὅταν whenever it sees a horse.
ἴδῃ ἵππον.

LI. HOW THEY DENOTE A MAN WHO FLEES FOR REFUGE
TO HIS PATRON, AND RECEIVES NO ASSISTANCE.

νά. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον δηλοῦσι προσφεύγοντα τῷ ἰδίῳ πάτρωνι
καὶ μὴ βοηθούμενον.

"Ἄνθρωπον προσφεύ- When they would denote
γοντα τῷ ἰδίῳ πάτρωνι, a man who flees for refuge to
καὶ μὴ βοηθούμενον, θέ- his patron, and receives no
λοντες δηλῶσαι, στρουθὸν assistance, they depict a SPAR-
καὶ γλαῦκα ζωγραφοῦσιν. ROW AND AN OWL; for the
οὗτος γὰρ θηρεύμενος, sparrow when pursued betakes
πρὸς τὴν γλαῦκα τρέχει, itself to the owl, and being
καὶ πρὸς αὐτῇ ὡν πιέζε- near it is seized.
ται.

LII. HOW THEY REPRESENT A WEAK MAN THAT IS
AUDACIOUS.

νβ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον δηλοῦσιν ἀσθενῆ καὶ προπετευτόμενον.

* Ἀνδρῶπον ἀσθενῆ καὶ προπετευτόμενον βουλόμενοι σημεῖναι, νυκτερίδα ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκείνη γὰρ μὴ ἔχουσα πτερὰ ἴπταται.

When they would symbolise a man who is weak and audacious, they portray a BAT, for she flies though destitute of feathers.

LIII. HOW A WOMAN SUCKLING AND BRINGING UP HER
CHILDREN WELL.

νγ'. Πῶς γυναῖκα θηλάζουσιν, καὶ καλῶς ἀνατρέφουσιν.

Γυναῖκα θηλάζουσιν, καὶ καλῶς ἀνατρέφουσιν βουλόμενοι ζωγραφεῖσθαι, νυκτερίδα πάλιν ἔχουσαν ὀδόντας καὶ μαστοὺς* ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ μόνη τῶν ἄλλων πτηνῶν, ὀδόντας καὶ μαστοὺς ἔχει.

When they would represent a woman suckling and bringing up her children well, they again portray a BAT WITH TEETH AND BREASTS; for this is the only winged creature which has teeth and breasts.

* Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs. Treb. for νυκτερίδα, read τρυγόνα, a dove, &c.

LIV. HOW A MAN FOND OF DANCING.

νδ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον κηλούμενον ὀρχήσει.

<p>Ἄνθρωπον δι' ὀρχήσεως καὶ αἰλητικῆς κηλούμενον βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, τρυ- γόνα ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ ὑπὸ αὐλοῦ καὶ ὀρ- χήσεως ἀλίσκεται.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lise a man fond of dancing and piping, they delineate a TURTLE DOVE; for it is taken by means of a pipe and danc- ing.</p>
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LV. HOW A MYSTIC MAN.

νέ. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον μυστικόν.

<p>Ἄνθρωπον δὲ μυστικόν, καὶ τελεστήν† βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, τέττιγα ζωγρα- φοῦσιν. οὗτος γὰρ διὰ τοῦ στόματος οὐ λαλεῖ, ἀλλὰ διὰ τῆς ῥάχεως φθεγγό- μενος, καλὸν μέλος αἰεῖδει.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lise a mystic man, and one initiated, they delineate a GRASSHOPPER; for he does not utter sounds through his mouth, but chirping by means of his spine, sings a sweet melody.</p>
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† τελετήν, Par. A. B. C. Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs.—Treb. om.

LVI. HOW A KING WHO KEEPS HIMSELF APART, AND
SHEWS NO MERCY TO DELINQUENCIES.



νς'. Πῶς βασιλέα ἰδιάζοντα, καὶ μὴ ἐλεοῦντα ἐν τοῖς
πταίσμασι.

Βασιλέα ἰδιάζοντα, † καὶ
μὴ ἐλεοῦντα ἐν τοῖς πταίσ-
μασι § βουλόμενοι σημή-
ναι, αἰετὸν ζωγραφοῦσιν.
οὗτος γὰρ ἐν τοῖς ἐρήμοις
τόποις ἔχει τὴν νοσσιάν, ||
καὶ ὑψηλότερος πάντων
τῶν πετεινῶν ἵπταται.

When they would symbo-
lise a king who keeps himself
apart, † and shews no mercy
to delinquencies, § they depict
an EAGLE; for he builds his
nest in desert places, and flies
higher than all birds.

Signifies Pharaoh.

† ἰδιάζω, "to live apart," also "to revenge oneself."

§ πταῖσμα, "a calamity in war," also "a fault."

|| νεοσιάν, Al.

LVII. HOW THE GREAT CYCLICAL RENOVATION.



νζ'. Πῶς ἀποκατάστασιν πολυχρόνιον.

Ἀποκατάστασιν δὲ πολυχρόνιον βουλόμενοι σημήναι, φοίνικα τὸ ὄρνεον ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ ὅτε γενᾶται, ἀποκατάστασις γίνεται πραγμάτων. γενᾶται δὲ τοιούτῳ τρόπῳ· ὅταν μέλλῃ τελευτᾶν ὁ φοῖνιξ, ῥήσσει ἑαυτὸν ἐπὶ τὴν γῆν, καὶ ὀπὴν ἐκ τοῦ ῥήγματος λαμβάνει, καὶ ἐκ τοῦ ἰχώρου τοῦ καταρρέοντος διὰ τῆς ὀπῆς ἕτερος γενᾶται· οὗτός τε ἅμα τῷ πτεροφυῆσαι, σὺν τῷ πατρὶ πορεύεται εἰς τὴν Ἡλίου Πόλιν τὴν ἐν Αἰγύπτῳ, ἢ ὅς καὶ παρα-

When they would denote *the great cyclical renovation*, they portray the bird PHÆNIX. For when he is produced a renovation of things takes place, and he is produced in this manner. When the Phœnix is about to die, he casts himself vehemently upon the ground, and is wounded by the blow, and from the ichor, which flows from the wound, another phœnix is produced; which as soon as it is fledged, goes with his father to the city of the sun in Egypt; who when he is come thither, dies in that place at the rising of

Phœnix.

§ Ald. Mer. Pier. om.

|| Par. A. Leem.—Al. om.

γενόμενος ἐκεῖ, ἅμα τῇ the sun. And after the death
 ἡλίου ἀνατολῇ, ἐκείσε of his father, the young one
 τελευτᾷ. καὶ μετὰ τὸν departs again to his own
 θάνατον τοῦ πατρὸς, ὁ country; and the priests of
 νεοσσὸς πάλιν ἐπὶ τὴν Egypt bury the phoenix that
 ἰδίαν πατρίδα ἄπεισιν' is dead.
 οἱ δὲ ἱερεῖς τῆς Αἰγύπτου
 τοῦτον τὸν ἀποθανόντα
 φοίνικα θάπτουσι.

LVIII. HOW ONE WHO IS FOND OF HIS FATHER.



νή. Πῶς φιλοπάτορα.

Φιλοπάτορα βουλόμε-
 νοι σημῆναι ἄνθρωπον, πε-
 λαργὸν ζωγραφοῦσιν. ὑπὸ
 γὰρ τῶν γεννησάντων ἐκ-
 τραφεῖς, οὐ χωρίζεται
 τῶν ἰδίων πατέρων, ἀλλὰ
 παραμέναι αὐτοῖς ἄχρις
 ἐσχάτου γήρωσ, θερα-
 πείαν αὐτοῖς ἀπονέμων.

When they would denote a
man fond of his father, they
 depict a STORK; for after he
 has been brought up by his
 parents he departs not from
 them, but remains with them
 to the end of their life, taking
 upon himself the care of them.

Thoth.

LIX. HOW A WOMAN THAT HATES HER HUSBAND.

νθ'. Πῶς γυναῖκα μισοῦσαν τὸν ἑαυτῆς ἄνδρα.

Γυναῖκα μισοῦσαν τὸν ἴδιον ἄνδρα, καὶ ἐπιβουλεύουσαν αὐτῷ εἰς θάνατον, μόνον δὲ διὰ μίξιν κολακεύουσαν αὐτὸν, βουλόμενοι σημεῖναι ἔχιν ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ ὅταν συγγίνηται τῷ ἀρρένι, στόμα στόματι ἐμβάλουσα,* καὶ μετὰ τὸ ἀποξευχθῆναι, ἀποδακῶσα τὴν κεφαλὴν τοῦ ἀρρένους ἀναιρεῖ.

When they would symbolise a woman that hates her own husband, and designs his death, and is complaisant only during intercourse, they delineate a VIPER; for when in connexion with the male, she places his mouth in her mouth, and after they have disjoined, she bites the head of the male and kills him.

LX. HOW THEY DENOTE CHILDREN PLOTTING AGAINST THEIR MOTHERS.

ξ'. Πῶς τέκνα δηλοῦσιν ἐπιβουλεύοντα ταῖς μητέραςιν.

Τέκνα ἐπιβουλεύοντα ταῖς μητέραςιν σημεῖναι βουλόμενοι, ἔχιδαν ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ ἐν τῇ

When they would denote children plotting against their mothers, they delineate a VIPER; for the viper is not

* ἐμβάλλει, Ald. Mer. Leem.

-- οὐ τίκτεται, ἀλλ' ἐκδιβρώσκουσα τὴν γαστέρα τῆς μητρὸς ἐκπορεύεται. brought forth in the [usual manner?], but disengages itself by gnawing through the belly of its mother.

LXI. HOW THEY DENOTE A MAN WHO SICKENS UNDER THE REPROACH OF ACCUSATION.

ξά. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον δηλοῦσιν ὑπὸ κατηγορίας λειδορηθέντα καὶ ἀσθενήσαντα.

Ἄνθρωπον δὲ ὑπὸ κατηγορίας λειδορηθέντα καὶ νοσήσαντα † ἐντεῦθεν βουλόμενοι σημεῖναι, βασιλίσκον ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ τοὺς πλησιάζοντας τῷ ἑαυτοῦ φυσήματι φονεύει. When they would symbolise a man who is reproached with accusations and thence falls sick, they delineate a BASILISK; for he kills those that approach him with his breath.

† ἀσθενήσαντα, Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs.

LXII. HOW A MAN THAT IS BURNT WITH FIRE.

ξβ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ὑπὸ πυρὸς καιόμενον.

* Ἄνθρωπον ὑπὸ πυρὸς καιόμενον βουλόμενοι ση-
 μῆναι, σαλαμάνδραν ζω-
 γραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ
 ἑκατέρω τῆ κεφαλῇ ἀναι-
 ρεῖ.

When they would symbo-
 lise a man that is burnt with
 fire, they depict a SALAMAN-
 DER; for it destroys with
 either head.

LXIII. HOW A BLIND MAN.

ξγ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον τυφλόν.

* Ἄνθρωπον τυφλόν βου-
 λόμενοι σημῆναι, ἀσπά-
 λακα ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος
 γὰρ ὀφθαλμοὺς οὐκ ἔχει,
 οὔτε ὄρα.

When they would symbo-
 lise a blind man, they depict
 a MOLE; for it neither has
 eyes, nor does it see.

LXIV. HOW A MAN THAT NEVER STIRS OUT.

ξδ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἀπρόϊτον.||

* Ἄνθρωπον ἀπρόϊτον
 βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, μύρ-
 λισσόν.

When they would symbo-
 lise a man that never stirs
 out, they depict a MYRTLE;

|| Extra domum. Treb.

μηκα καὶ πτερὰ νυκτε-
ρίδος ζωγραφοῦσιν· διότι
τιθεμένων τῶν πτερῶν εἰς
τὴν νεοσσιάν τῶν μυρμή-
κων, οὐ προέρχεται ἡ αὐ-
τῶν τις.

out, they depict an ANT AND
THE WINGS OF A BAT; because,
when these wings are placed
over an ant's nest, none of
them come forth.

LXV. HOW A MAN WHO IS INJURED BY SELF-INFLICTIONS.

ξί. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον διὰ τῆς οἰκείας ἐξωλείας βλαπτόμενον.

Ἄνθρωπον διὰ τῆς ἰδίας
ἐξωλείας βλαπτόμενον ση-
μῆναι βουλόμενοι, κάστορα
ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ
καταδιωκόμενος, εἰς τὴν
ἄγγραν τοῦς ἰδίους διδύμους
ἀποσπῶν ρίπτει.

When they would symbo-
lise a man injured by self in-
flictions, they delineate a BEA-
VER; for when pursued he
tears out his own testicles, and
casts them as spoil to his pur-
suers.

LXVI. HOW A MAN WHO HAS BEEN SUCCEEDED IN HIS
PROPERTY BY A SON WHOM HE HATED.

ξς'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον κληρονομηθέντα ὑπὸ μεμισμημένου τέκνου.

Ἄνθρωπον κληρονομη-
θέντα ὑπὸ μεμισμημένου

When they would symbo-
lise a man who has been suc-

τέκνου βουλόμενοι σημήναι, *ceeded in his property by a son whom he hated*, they depict AN APE WITH A YOUNG APE BEHIND IT. For the ape begets two young apes, one of which he loves extravagantly, and the other he hates: and the one which he loves he keeps before him and kills with fondling; but the one which he hates he keeps behind him and brings up.

LXVII. HOW A MAN THAT CONCEALS HIS OWN DEFECTS.

ξζ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον τὰ ἴδια ἐλαττώματα κρύπτοντα.

*Ἄνθρωπον τὰ ἴδια ἐλαττώματα κρύπτοντα *When they would symbolise a man that conceals his own defects*, they depict AN APE || MAKING WATER; for when he makes water he conceals his urine.

|| Pier. mentions a reading, αἴλουρον "a cat."

LXVIII. HOW ONE WHO HEARS WITH MORE THAN USUAL ACUTENESS.

ξή. Πῶς τινὰ κατὰ τὸ μᾶλλον ἀκούοντα.

<p>Τινὰ δὲ κατὰ τὸ μᾶλλον ἀκούοντα θέλοντες ση- μῆναι, αἶγα ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ ἀναπνεῖ* διὰ τῶν ῥωθῶνων, καὶ τῶν ᾧτων.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lise a man who hears with more than usual acuteness, they portray A SHE-GOAT, for she respire[s] [hears?] through both her nostrils and ears.</p>
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LXIX. HOW AN UNSETTLED PERSON.

ξθ. Πῶς ἄστατον.

<p>Τινὰ δὲ ἄστατον καὶ μὴ μένοντα ἐν ταύτῳ, ἀλλ' ὅτε μὲν ἰσχυρὸν, † ὅτε δὲ ἀσθενῆ, † βουλόμενοι ση- μῆναι, ἕαιναν § ζωγρα- φοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ ὅτε μὲν ἀρρῆν γίνεται, ὅτε δὲ θήλεια.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lise one that is unsettled, and that does not remain in the same state, but is sometimes strong, and at other times weak, they depict an HYENA; for this creature is at times male, and at times female. </p>
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* ἀκούει?—Treb. Audit.

† Par A C. Ald. Mer. insert θρασὸν.—Causs. Treb. καὶ θρασὸν, and Leem. in brackets.

‡ Par. A. C. Ald. Mer. insert δειλὸν. Causs. Treb. καὶ δειλὸν. and Leem. in brackets.

§ Ges. ment. ἕαιναν ὄφιν, which Treb. reads.

|| The Arabs still believe this to be the case.

LXX. HOW A MAN OVERCOME BY HIS INFERIORS.

δ. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ὑπὸ ἐλαττόνων ἠττώμενον.

* Ἄνθρωπον δὲ ἠττώμενον ὑπὸ τῶν ἑλαττόνων βουλόμενοι σημήναι, δύο δέρματα ζωγραφοῦσιν, ἃν τὸ μὲν, υἰαίνης ἐστί, τὸ δὲ ἄλλο, καρδαλέως. ἐὰν γὰρ ὁμοῦ τεθῆ* τὰ δύο ταῦτα δέρματα, τὸ μὲν τῆς καρδαλέως ἀποβάλλει τὰς τρίχας, τὸ δὲ ἄλλο, οὐ.

When they would symbolise a man overcome by his inferiors, they depict two skins, one of an HYENA, ¶ and the other of a PANTHER; for if these two skins be placed together, the panther's shoots its hair, but the other does not.

LXX. HOW A MAN WHO OVERCOMES HIS PRIVATE ENEMY.

οά. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον τοῦ ἰδίου ἐχθροῦ περιγεγόμενον.

* Ἄνθρωπον τοῦ ἰδίου ἐχθροῦ περιγεγόμενον δη-

To denote a man who overcomes his private enemy, they

LXX. See the skin placed before Osiris, B. I. c. 40.

The skin is in some manner connected with judgment and protection, but it is not yet well understood.

¶ Ald. Mer. Pier. om.

¶ Qy. A water skin.

* τιβῆ, Par. C. Ald. Mer.—τεθῆται δύο, Leem. at Hæsch. conj.

λοῦντες, ὕαιναν ἐπὶ τὰ δεξιὰ στρεφομένην ζωγραφούσιν· εἰάν δὲ νικώμενον, ἀνάπαλιν ἐπὶ τὰ ἀριστερὰ στρεφομένην ζωγραφούσιν. αὕτη γὰρ διωκομένη, εἰάν ἐπὶ τὰ δεξιὰ στραφῆ, ἀναιρεῖ τὸν διώκοντα· εἰάν δὲ ἐπὶ τὰ ἀριστερὰ, ἀναιρεῖται ὑπὸ τοῦ διώκοντος.

delineate an HYENA TURNING TO THE RIGHT; but if *himself* overcome, they on the contrary depict ONE TURNING TO THE LEFT; for should this animal, when pursued, turn to the right, it slays the pursuer, but if to the left, it is slain by the pursuer.

LXXII. HOW A MAN WHO PASSES FEARLESSLY THROUGH THE EVILS WHICH ASSAIL HIM.

ββ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον παρελθόντα τὰς ἐπενεχθείσας αὐτῷ συμφορὰς ἀφόβως.

Ἄνθρωπον παρελθόντα τὰς ἐπενεχθείσας αὐτῷ συμφορὰς ἀφόβως ἄχρι θανάτου, βουλόμενοι δηλώσαι, δέρμα ὑαίνης ζωγραφούσιν. εἰάν γάρ τις τὸ δέρμα τοῦτο περι-

When they would denote a man who passes fearlessly through the evils which assail him, even until death, they delineate the SKIN OF AN HYENA; † for if a man gird this skin about himself, and pass

* The Arabs eat the flesh of this animal to free themselves from some particular illness.

βάλλεται, καὶ παρέλθῃ through any of his enemies,
 διὰ τινῶν ἐχθρῶν, οὐ μὴ he shall be injured by none
 ἀδικηθήσεται ὑπὸ τινος, of them, but passes through
 ἀλλὰ παρέρχεται ἀφό- fearlessly.
 βως.

LXXIII. HOW A MAN ANNOYED BY HIS PRIVATE ENEMIES.

οὔ. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον διαθέντα ἰς ταῖς ἰδίαις ἐχθροῖς.

* Ἄνθρωπον διαθέντα * When they would represent
 ὑπὸ τῶν ἰδίων ἐχθρῶν, καὶ a man annoyed* by his private
 μετὰ ζημίας μικρᾶς ἀπ- enemies, and extricating him-
 αλλαγέντα, βουλόμενοι self with small loss, they por-
 σημῆναι, λύκον ζωγραφοῦ- tray a WOLF WHICH HAS LOST
 σιν, ἀπολέσαντα τὸ ἄκρον THE EXTREMITY OF HIS TAIL ;
 τῆς οὐρᾶς. οὗτος γὰρ μέλ- for the wolf, when about to be
 λων θηρεύεσθαι, ἀποδάλ- hunted, shoots the hairs and
 λει τὰς τρίχας, καὶ τὰ extremity of his tail.
 ἄκρον τῆς οὐρᾶς.

* διαθέντα, Ald.—σιανθέντα Par. C. Leem. "compelled to make a compact with."

LXXIV. HOW A MAN WHO IS FEARFUL LEST ACCIDENTS SHOULD HAPPEN UNEXPECTEDLY TO HIMSELF.

οδ'. Πῶς ἀνδρωπον φοβούμενον τὰ ἐπισυμβαίνοντα αὐτῷ ἐκ τοῦ ἀφανοῦς.

Ἄνδρωπον φοβούμενον τὰ ἐπισυμβαίνοντα ἐαυτῷ† ἐκ τοῦ ἀφανοῦς, βουλόμενοι σημεῖναι, λύκον καὶ λίθον ζωγραφοῦσιν. οὗτος γὰρ, οὔτε σίδηρον, οὔτε ῥάβδον φοβεῖται, ἀλλὰ μόνον λίθον. ἀμέλει ἐάν τις προσρίψῃ τούτῳ λίθον, εὐρίσκει αὐτὸν πτοούμενον. καὶ ὅπου ἂν πληγῇ τῷ λίθῳ ὁ λύκος, σκώληκας ἐκ τῆς πληγῆς ἀναφέρει.

When they would denote a man who is fearful lest accidents should happen unexpectedly to himself, they depict a WOLF AND A STONE; for it fears neither iron, nor a stick, but a stone only; and indeed, if any one throw a stone at him he will find him terrified: and wherever a wolf is struck by a stone, maggots are engendered from the bruise.

LXXV. HOW A MAN CALMED BY FIRE DURING ANGER.

οε'. Πῶς ἀνθρωπον ἐπὶ θυμῷ σωφρονισθέντα ὑπὸ πυρός.‡

Ἄνθρωπον ὑπὸ πυρός σωφρονισθέντα,‡ καὶ ἐπὶ When they would denote a man calmed by fire even du-

† αὐτῷ, Al.

‡ Treb. igne castigatum "chastised by fire."

θυμῷ, θέλοντες δηλῶσαι, *ring anger, they portray LIONS*
 λέοντας καὶ δαῖδας ζωγρα- *AND TORCHES; for the lion*
 φοῦσιν. οὐδὲν γὰρ ἄλλο *dreads nothing so much as*
 φοβεῖται ὁ λέων, ὡς τὰς *lighted torches, and is tamed*
 ἀνημμένους δαῖδας, καὶ ὑπ' *by nothing so readily as by*
 οὐδενὸς δαμάζεται, ὡς *them.*
 ὑπὸ τούτων.

LXXVI. HOW A FEVERISH MAN WHO CURES HIMSELF.

ος'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον πυρέττοντα καὶ ὑφ' ἑαυτοῦ
 θεραπευθέντα.

"Ἀνθρωπον πυρέττοντα *When they would denote a*
 καὶ ὑφ' ἑαυτοῦ θεραπευ- *feverish man who cures him-*
 θέντα βουλόμενοι δηλῶσαι, *self, they depict A LION DE-*
 λέοντα ζωγραφοῦσι πί- *VOURING AN APE; for if, when*
 θηκον τρώγοντα. ἐκεῖνος *in a fever, he devours an ape,*
 γὰρ εἰὰν πυρέξῃ, φαγὼν *he recovers.*
 πίθηκον ὑγιαίνει.

LXXVII. HOW A MAN WHO BECOMES STEADY AT LAST
 AFTER HIS FORMER EXCESSES.

ος'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ὕστερον ἢ σωφρονισθέντα ἀπὸ
 τῆς πρώην ἐξωλείας.||

"Ἀνθρωπον ἀπὸ ἐξω- *When they would denote a*
 λείας τῆς πρώην ὕστερον *man who after his former*

§ Par. C. Ald. Mer. Pier. om.

|| Treb. renders, *novissima calamitate castigatum*, "chastised by
 a very recent calamity."

σωφροσιζέντα βουλόμενοι *excesses at length becomes*
 δηλώσαι, ταῦρον ζωγρα- *steady*, they portray a BULL
 φοῦσιν περιδεδεμένον ἀγ- BOUND ABOUT BY A WILD FIG
 ρισουκέα. οὗτος γὰρ ὅταν BRANCH; for if when violent
 ὄργῃ, δεσμεῖται ἐργισυ- he is bound with a wild fig
 κῆ καὶ ἡμεροῦται. branch, he becomes gentle.

LXXVIII. HOW A MAN WHOSE TEMPERANCE IS EASILY
 CHANGED.

οή. Πῶς ἀνδρωπον σωφροσύνην ἔχοντα εὐμετάβλητον.

Ἀνδρωπον σωφροσύνην *When they would symbo-*
 ἔχοντα εὐμετάβλητον, καὶ *lise a man whose temperance*
 μὴ σταθερὰν, βουλόμενοι *is easily changed and incon-*
 σημῆναι, ταῦρον ζωγρα- *stant*, they depict a BULL WITH
 φοῦσι, περιδεδεμένον τὸ *HIS RIGHT KNEE BOUND ROUND*;
 δεξιὸν γόνυ. τοῦτον γὰρ *for if you bind him by a fetter*
 εἰάν δήσῃς τῷ δεξιῷ γόνυϊ *on his right knee, you will find*
 καρποδέσμιον, παρακο- *him follow. And the bull is*
 λουθοῦντα εὐρήσεις. ¶ αἰ *always assumed as a symbol*
 δὲ ὁ ταῦρος εἰς σωφροσύ- *of temperance, because it never*
 νην παραλαμβάνεται, δι- *approaches the cow after con-*
 ὅτι οὐδέποτε τοῦ θήλεος *ception.*
 ἐπιβαίνει μετὰ τὴν σύλ-
 ληψιν.

¶ Treb. from τοῦτον, sic enim non coit, "for thus he holds no intercourse."

LXXIX. HOW A SLAYER OF SHEEP AND GOATS.

οδ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον προβάτων καὶ αἰγῶν φθοροῖκον.*

<p>* Ἀνθρωπον προβάτων καὶ αἰγῶν φθοροῖκον* βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, αὐτὰ τὰ ζῶα γράφουσι τρώγοντα κόνυζαν. ταῦτα γὰρ φαγόντα κόνυζαν, ἀποθήσκει, δίψῃ κατασχεθέντα.</p>	<p>When they would symbolise a slayer of sheep and goats, they portray THESE ANIMALS EATING FLEABANE; for if they eat fleabane they die, being cut off by thirst.</p>
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LXXX. HOW THEY DENOTE A MAN EATING.

π'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον τρώγοντα δηλοῦσιν.

<p>* Ἀνθρωπον τρώγοντα βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, κροκόδειλον ζωγραφοῦσιν, ἔχοντα τὸ στόμα ἀνεωγμένον. οὗτος γὰρ† - - -</p>	<p>When they would symbolise a man eating, they depict A CROCODILE WITH HIS MOUTH OPEN; for he - - -</p>
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* φθορικόν, Vat. Leem.

† Treb. om. from οὗτος.

LXXXI. HOW THEY DENOTE A RAPACIOUS AND INACTIVE
MAN.

πα. Πῶς ἄρπαγα ἀνδρωπον καὶ † ἀνερέργητον σημαίνουσιν.

<p>* Ἀρπαγα ἀνδρωπον καὶ † ἀνερέργητον βουλόμενοι ση- μῆναι, κροκόδειλον ἔχοντα ἴβειωσ πτερόν ἐπὶ τῆσ κε- φαλῆσ ζωγραφοῦσι. τούτου γὰρ εἰὰν ἴβειωσ πτεροῦ θι- γῆσ, ἀκίνητον αὐτόν ‡ εὐ- ρήσεισ.</p>	<p>When they would denote a rapacious and inactive man, they portray a CROCODILE WITH THE WING OF AN IBIS ON HIS HEAD; for if you touch him with the wing of an Ibis you will find him motionless.</p>
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LXXXII. HOW A WOMAN THAT HAS BROUGHT FORTH
ONCE.

πβ. Πῶσ γυναῖκα γενήσασαν ἅπαξ.

<p>Γυναῖκα γενήσασαν ἅπαξ βουλόμενοι σημή- ναι, λέαιναν ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὐτῆ γὰρ δις οὐ κούσκει.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lise a woman that has brought forth once, they depict a LIO- NESS; for she never conceives twice.</p>
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† Par. A. B. C. Leem. om.

‡ Ald. Mer. Pier. Leem. om.

LXXXIII. HOW A MAN WHO IS AT FIRST DEFORMED.

πγ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον γεννηθέντα κατὰ τὴν ἀρχὴν ἄμορφον.

<p>Ἄνθρωπον ἄμορφον γεννηθέντα κατὰ τὴν ἀρχὴν, ὕστερον δὲ μορφωθέντα βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, ἄρκτον ἐγκυμονοῦσαν ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ αἷμα συνεστραμμένον καὶ πεπηγὸς τίττει, ὕστερον δὲ τοῦτο θαλλόμενον ἐν τοῖς ἰδίοις μηροῖς διατυπύται, καὶ τῇ γλώσσει λειχόμενον τελειοῦται.</p>	<p>When they would symbolise a man born deformed at first, but that has afterwards acquired his proper shape, they delineate a PREGNANT BEAR, for it brings forth (a mass of) thick and condensed blood, which is afterwards endowed with life by being warmed between its thighs, and perfected by being licked with its tongue.</p>
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LXXXIV. HOW A POWERFUL MAN, AND ONE THAT DISCERNS WHAT THINGS ARE RIGHT.

πδ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἰσχυρὸν, καὶ τῶν συμφερόντων ὀσφρακτικόν.

<p>Ἄνθρωπον ἰσχυρὸν, καὶ τῶν συμφερόντων ὀσφρακτικὸν βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, ἐλέφαντα ζωγραφοῦσιν,</p>	<p>When they would symbolise a powerful man, and one that discerns what things are right, they depict an ELEPHANT</p>
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ἔχοντα τὴν προβοσκίδα. WITH A TRUNK ; for with this
 ἐκείνος γὰρ ταυτῆ ὄσφραί- he discerns by smelling, and
 νεται, καὶ κρατεῖ τῶν overcomes all obstacles.
 προσπιπτόντων.

LXXXV. HOW A KING THAT FLEES FROM FOLLY AND
 INTEMPERANCE.

πέ. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον βασιλέα φεύγοντα μωρίαν καὶ ἀφροσύνην.

Ἄνθρωπον βασιλέα When they would symbo-
 φεύγοντα μωρίαν καὶ lise, a king that flees from
 ἀφροσύνην βουλόμενοι ση- folly and intemperance, they
 μῆναι, ἐλέφαντα * καὶ delineate AN ELEPHANT AND
 κρίον ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκείνος A RAM ; for he flees at the
 γὰρ θεωρῶν τὸν κρίον φεύ- sight of a ram.
 γει.

LXXXVI. HOW A KING THAT FLEES FROM A TRIFLER.

πς'. Πῶς βασιλέα φεύγοντα φλύαρον ἄνθρωπον.

Βασιλέα φεύγοντα When they would symbo-
 φλύαρον ἄνθρωπον βουλό- lise a king that flees from a

* Treb. cervum " a stag."

μενοι σημήναι, ἐλέφαντα *trifler*, they depict an ELE-
 ζωγραφοῦσι μετὰ χοίρου. PHANT WITH A HOG; for he
 ἐκεῖνος γὰρ ἀκούων φωνῆς flees upon hearing the voice
 χοίρου, φεύγει. of the hog.

LXXXVII. HOW A MAN THAT IS QUICK IN HIS MOVE-
 MENTS, BUT WHO MOVES IMPRUDENTLY AND INCON-
 siderately.

πζ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ὄξυν μὲν κατὰ τὴν κίνησιν, ἀσκέπτως
 δὲ καὶ ἀνοήτως κινούμενον.

*Ἀνθρῶπον ὄξυν μὲν When they would symbo-
 κατὰ τὴν κίνησιν, ἀσκέπ- lise a man that is quick in his
 τως δὲ καὶ ἀνοήτως κινού- movements, but who moves
 μενον βουλόμενοι σημήναι, without prudence and con-
 ἔλαφον καὶ ἔχιδναν ζωγρα- sideration, they portray a
 φοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνη γὰρ ὄρῳσα STAG AND A VIPER; for she
 τὴν ἔχιδναν, φεύγει. flees at the sight of the viper.

LXXXVIII. HOW A MAN THAT IS PROVIDING HIS OWN
 TOMB.

πη'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον προνοούμενον τῆς ἰδίας ταφῆς.

*Ἀνθρῶπον προνοούμενον When they would symbo-
 τῆς ἰδίας ταφῆς ¶ βουλό- lise a man that is providing

¶ Mer. Pier. Causs. Leem. Treb. F.—τροφῆς, ΑΙ.

μενοι σημῆναι, ἐλέφαντα* *his own tomb*, they depict an
 ζωγραφούσι κατορύττον- *ELEPHANT BURYING ITS OWN*
 τα τοὺς ἰδίους ὀδόντας. *TEETH*; for when his teeth
 τοῦτους γὰρ πεσόντας *fall out*, he takes them up and
 λαβὼν κατορύττει.† *buries them.*

LXXXIX. HOW A MAN THAT HAS LIVED TO A PROPER
 AGE.

πθ. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ζήσαντα τέλειον βίον.

Ἄνθρωπον ζήσαντα *When they would symbo-*
 τέλειον βίον θέλοντες δη- *lise a man that has lived to*
 λῶσαι, κορώνην ἀποθα- *a proper age*, they depict a
 νοῦσαν‡ ζωγραφούσιν. αὔ- *DYING CROW*; for she lives an
 τη γὰρ ζῆ ἑκατὸν ἔτη *hundred years according to*
 κατ' Αἰγυπτίους. τὸ δὲ *the Egyptians*; and a year
 ἔτος κατ' Αἰγυπτίους *among the Egyptians consists*
 τεσσάρων ἐνιαυτῶν. *of four (of our) years.*

* Treb. cervum.

† Ald. Mer. Causs. Pier. Leem. Treb. F. — ἐκεῖνος γὰρ ὄταν
 ἴδῃ, τοὺς ἰδίους ὀδόντας πίπτοντας, καταδράττειται τούτων καὶ
 τοῦτους ὀρύττει, Al.

‡ Treb. om.

XC. HOW A MAN WHO CONCEALS HIS DEPRAVITY WITHIN HIMSELF.

4'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἐν ἑαυτῷ κρύπτοντα κακίαν.

Ἄνθρωπον ἐμφωλεύοντα ἑαυτῷ κακίαν, καὶ ἀποκρύπτοντα ἑαυτὸν, ὥστε μὴ γνωσθῆναι τοῖς ἰδίοις, θέλοντες σημεῖναι, πάρδαλιν ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ κρύφα τὰ ζῶα θηρεύει, μὴ συγχωροῦσα τὴν ἰδίαν ὄσμην ἢ ἀφιέναι, καταδιωκτικὴν οὖσαν τῶν ἄλλων ζῶων.

When they would denote a man who conceals his depravity within himself, and hides himself so as not to be known by his own friends and family, they depict a PANTHER; for it secretly pursues the beasts, not suffering its scent to escape, which is [a hindrance in the pursuit?] of other animals.

XCI. HOW A MAN DECEIVED BY FLATTERY.

4α'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἐξαπατώμενον διὰ κολακείας.

Ἄνθρωπον ἐξαπατώμενον διὰ κολακείας βουλόμενοι σημεῖναι, ἔλαφον μετὰ αἰλητοῦ ἀνθρώπου ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ

When they would symbolise a man deceived by flattery, they represent a STAG AND A MAN PLAYING ON A PIPE; for she is caught while

§ ὄσμην, Ald. Mer. Pier. Treb.

Σηρεύεται ἀκούουσα ἡδέα listening to the sweet breath-
 συρίσματα ἀδόντων, ὡς ings of the singers as she
 κατακηλεῖσθαι ὑπὸ τῆς stands entranced in pleasure.
 ἡδονῆς.

XCII. HOW THE PRESAGE OF A PLENTIFUL VINTAGE.

4β. Πῶς πρόγνωσιν εὐκαρπίας οἴνου.

Πρόγνωσιν εὐκαρπίας When they would symbo-
 οἴνου βουλόμενοι σημήναι, lise *the presage of a plentiful*
 ἔποπα ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκει- *vintage*, they depict the HOU-
 νος γὰρ ἐὰν πρὸ τοῦ καιροῦ POO; for if this bird sings
 τῶν ἀμπέλων || κράζει, [moans?] before the season
 εὐοινίαν σημαίνει. of the vines, it is a sign of a
 good vintage.

XCIII. HOW A MAN HAVING RECEIVED INJURY FROM THE GRAPE.

4γ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ὑπὸ σταφυλῆς βλαβέντα.

Ἄνθρωπον ὑπὸ στα- When they would symbo-
 φυλῆς βλαβέντα, καὶ ἑαυ- lise *a man that is injured by*
 τὸν θεραπεύοντα, ¶ βου- *the grape and cures himself*,
 λόμενοι σημήναι, ἔποπα they depict a HOUPOO AND

|| Par B. Leem. insert πολλὰ.

¶ περιδεοντα, Par A. B. in margin.

ζωγραφοῦσι, καὶ ἀδιάντων τὴν βοτάνην. οὗτος γὰρ βλαβεῖς ὑπὸ σταφυλῆς, ἀδιάντων ἀποτιθέμενος εἰς τὸ ἑαυτοῦ στόμα, περιόδεται.

THE HERB ADIANTUM (maiden-hair); for when injured by the grape, if he places a piece of adiantum in his mouth he is healed.

XCIV. HOW A MAN THAT GUARDS HIMSELF FROM THE PLOTS OF HIS ENEMIES.



ἑδ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἑαυτὸν φυλάττοντα ἀπὸ ἐπιβουλῆς ἐχθρῶν.

Ἄνθρωπον ἀπὸ ἐπιβουλῆς ἐχθρῶν ἑαυτὸν φυλάττοντα βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, γέρανον γρηγοροῦσαν ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὐταὶ γὰρ ἑαυτὰς φυλάσσουσι γρηγοροῦσαι κατ' ὄρδινον ἐν πάσῃ τῇ νυκτί.

When they would symbolise a man that guards himself from the plots of his enemies, they depict A CRANE ON THE WATCH; for these birds guard themselves by watching in turns during the whole night.

Thoth, who was always considered as a guardian of the land.

XCV. QUOMODO PÆDICATIONEM.

βί. Πῶς παιδεραστίαν.

Παιδεραστίαν βουλό- μενοι σημήναι, δύο πέρ- δικας ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκείνοι γὰρ ἐπὶ χηρεύσωσιν, ἑαυτοῖς ἀποκέχρηται.	Pædicationem designantes. geminas perdices pingunt : quæ cum viduæ sunt, se in- vicem abutuntur.
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XCVI. HOW AN OLD MAN DYING OF HUNGER.

βγ'. Πῶς γέροντα ὑπὸ λιμοῦ ἀποθανόντα.

Γέροντα ὑπὸ λιμοῦ ἀποθανόντα θέλοντες δη- λῶσαι, ἀετὸν ἀποκεκαμ- μένον ἔχοντα τὸ ράμφος ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ γηράσκων, ἀποκάμπτε- ται τὸ ράμφος αὐτοῦ, καὶ λιμῷ ἀποθνήσκει.	When they would symbo- lize an old man dying of hun- ger, they delineate AN EAGLE WITH HIS BEAK EXTREMELY HOOKED; for as he grows old his beak becomes extremely hooked, and he dies of hun- ger.
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XCVII. HOW A MAN LIVING PERPETUALLY IN MOTION,
AND AGITATION OF MIND.

βδ'. Πῶς ἀνδρωπον αἰεὶ * ἐν κινήσει καὶ θυμῷ διάγοντα.

"Ανδρωπον αἰεὶ ἐν κινή- σει καὶ θυμῷ διάγοντα,	When they would symbo- lize a man living perpetually
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* Al. om.

καὶ μήτε ἐν τῷ τρέφεσ- *in motion, and agitation of*
 θαι ἡσυχάζοντα βουλό- *mind, and not even remaining*
 μενοι σημῆναι, κορώνης *quiet during meals, they de-*
 νεοσσούς † ζωγραφοῦσιν. *picT THE YOUNG ONES OF A*
 αὐτὴ γὰρ ἰπταμένη τρέφει *CROW [a crow with its young] ;*
 τοὺς νεοσσούς. *for whilst she flies she feeds*
her young.

XCVIII. HOW A MAN SKILLED IN CELESTIAL MATTERS.

ἤ. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον εἰδότα τὰ μετέωρα.

"Ἀνθρωπον εἰδότα τὰ *When they would symbo-*
 μετέωρα θέλοντες σημῆ- *lise a man skilled in celestial*
 ναι, γέρανον ἰπτάμενον *matters, they depict A CRANE*
 ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ *FLYING ; for she always flies*
 ὑψηλῶς πάνυ ἰπταται, *very high, to inspect the clouds*
 ἵνα θεάσῃται τὰ νέφη, *lest they send forth a storm,*
 μὴ ἄρα χειμάξῃ, ἵνα ἐν *that she may remain in quiet.*
 ἡσυχίᾳ διαμένῃ. †

The Ibis denotes Thoth, who was the Egyptian inventor of astronomy.

† De Pauw sug. and Treb. reads κορώνην νεοσσοῖς, a crow with its young.

‡ Treb. hæc enim ita alte advolet, ut nubes videat et tangat, "for it flies so high that it inspects and touches the clouds."

XCIX. HOW A MAN WHO THROUGH WANT DISMISSES HIS OWN CHILDREN.

48. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἀποταξάμενον τὰ ἴδια τέκνα δι' ἀπορίαν.

Ἄνθρωπον ἀποταξά-
μενον § τὰ ἴδια τέκνα δι'
ἀπορίαν βουλόμενοι σημή-
ναι, ἰέρακα || ἐγκύμονα
ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ
τίκτων τρία ὠὰ, τὸ ἐν
μόνον ἐπιλέγεται καὶ τρέ-
φει, τὰ δὲ ἄλλα δύο κλά-
τοῦτο δὲ ποιεῖ, διὰ τὸ
κατ' ἐκεῖνον τὸν χρόνον
τοὺς ὄνυχας ἀπολλύει, ¶
καὶ ἐντεῦθεν μὴ δύνασθαι
τὰ τρία βρέφη τρέφειν.

When they would symbo-
lise a man who through want
dismisses his own children,
they portray A HAWK WITH
EGG; for though she lays
three eggs, she hatches and
brings up but one, and breaks
the other two: and she does
this on account of the loss of
her claws at that season, being
for that reason unable to
bring up all three young ones.

§ ἀποπεμψάμενον, Par B. and Par A. in margin.

|| Aquilam, Treb.

¶ ἀποβάλλειν, Par B. and Par A. in margin. Leem.

C. HOW A MAN WHO IS TARDY IN MOVING WITH HIS FEET.

ρ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ὀκνοῦντα τὴν διὰ τῶν ποδῶν κίνησιν ποιῆσθαι.

<p>Ἄνθρωπον ὀκνοῦντα τὴν διὰ τῶν ποδῶν κίνησιν ποιῆσθαι βουλόμενοι σημῆναι κάμηλον γράφουσιν* ἐκείνη γὰρ μόνη τῶν ἄλλων ζώων τὸν μηρὸν κάμπτει, διὸ καὶ κάμηλος* λέγεται.</p>	<p>When they would symbolise a man who is tardy in moving with his feet, they delineate a CAMEL; for this is the only animal which bends the thigh, whence it is called κάμηλος, a camel.</p>
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CI. HOW A MAN WHO IS IMPUDENT AND QUICK-SIGHTED.

ρά. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἀναιδῆ καὶ κατὰ τὴν ὄρασιν δξύν.

<p>Ἄνθρωπον ἀναιδῆ, καὶ κατὰ τὴν ὄρασιν δξύν</p>	<p>When they would symbolise a man who is impudent</p>
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It is a singular fact, that in a country like Egypt, where Camels must have been abundant, there is no known instance of a Camel among the existing sculptures, hieroglyphics, or paintings. Bonomi.

* κάμηρος, Al.

λοντες δηλωσαι, βάτρα-
χον γράφουσιν. οὗτος γὰρ
αἷμα οὐκ ἔχει, εἰ μὴ ἐν
μόνοις τοῖς ὀφθαλμοῖς.
τοὺς δὲ ἐκεῖ αἷμα ἔχοντας,
ἀναιδεῖς καλοῦσιν, διὸ καὶ
ὁ Ποιητής· Οἰνοβαρές,
κυνὸς ὀμματ' ἔχων, κραι-
δίην δ' ἐλάφοιο.

and quicksighted, they depict
A FROG; for it has no blood
except in the eyes alone, and
they call those who have blood
in those parts impudent: and
hence the poet sings, "Drunk-
ard with eyes of dog and heart
of stag."

CII. HOW A MAN UNABLE TO MOVE HIMSELF.

ρβ. Πῶς ἀνθρώπον μὴ δυναθέντα κινεῖσθαι.

Ἀνθρώπον πολὺν χρό-
νον μὴ δυναθέντα κινεῖσ-
θαι, ὕστερον δὲ κινηθέντα
τοῖς ποσὶ, βουλόμενοι ση-
μῆναι, βάτραχον ἔχοντα
τοὺς ὀπισθίους πόδας ζω-
γραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ
γεννᾶται ἄπους, ὕστερον
δὲ αὐξανόμενος, προσλαμ-
βάνει τοὺς ὀπισθίους.†

When they would symbo-
lise a man who for a long
time is unable to move himself,
but who afterwards moves
with his feet, they depict A
FROG HAVING ITS HIND FEET;
for it is born without feet, but
subsequently as it grows ac-
quires its hind feet.

† Par C. Ald. Mer. Pier. Causs. Leem. — πρότερον, Al.

‡ Treh. om.

CIII. HOW A MAN HOSTILE TO ALL.

ργ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον πάντων ἐχθρόν.

*Ἀνθρωπον πάντων ἐχθρόν καὶ ἀπεσχοινοσμένον θέλοντες σημεῖναι, ἡ ἔγχελιν ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ οὐδενὶ τῶν ἰχθύων συνευρίσκεται. When they would symbolise a man that is hostile to, and secluded from, all men, they depict AN EEL; for it is found associating with no other fishes.

CIV. HOW A MAN WHO SAVES MANY IN THE SEA.

ρδ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον σώζοντα πολλοὺς ἐν θάλασση.

*Ἀνθρωπον σώζοντα πολλοὺς ἐν θαλάσση θέλοντες σημεῖναι, νάρκην τὸν ἰχθὺν ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ ὅταν ἴδῃ τοὺς πολλοὺς τῶν ἰχθύων μὴ δυναμένους κολυμβᾶν, συλλαμβάνει πρὸς ἑαυτὴν καὶ σώζει. When they would symbolise a man who saves many in the sea, they depict the TORPEDO FISH; for this, when it perceives a number of fishes unable to swim, draws them to itself and preserves them.

§ δηλώσαι, A1.

CV. HOW A MAN THAT WASTEFULLY CONSUMES BOTH THINGS THAT ARE REQUISITE AND THINGS THAT ARE NOT.

ρε. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον, τὰ χρήσιμα καὶ τὰ ἄχρηστα κακῶς ἀνηλωκότα.

Ἄνθρωπον τὰ χρήσιμα καὶ τὰ ἄχρηστα κακῶς ἀνηλωκότα βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, πολύποδα ζωγραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ πολλὰ καὶ ἀσώτως ἐσθίων, παρατίθεται τὴν τροφὴν εἰς τὰς θαλάμας, καὶ ὅταν ἀναλώσῃ τὰ χρήσιμα, τότε τὰ ἄχρηστα ἐκβάλλει.

When they would symbolise a man that wastefully consumes both things that are requisite and useless, they delineate a POLYPUS; for after eating much and extravagantly, it lays by food in its holes, and when it has consumed that which is useful, it then throws away that which is useless.

CVI. HOW A MAN THE RULER OF HIS TRIBE.

ρς'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον τῶν ὁμοφύλων κρατέσαντα.

Ἄνθρωπον τῶν ὁμοφύλων κρατέσαντα βουλό-

lise a man the ruler of his

μενοι σημῆναι, κάραβον
καὶ πολύποδα ζωγραφοῦ-
σιν. οὗτος γὰρ τοὺς πο-
λύποδας ¶ κρατεῖ, καὶ τὰ
πρωτεῖα φέρει.

tride, they depict a CRAYFISH
AND A POLYPUS; for he rules
over the polypi, and holds the
chief place among them.

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CVII. HOW A MAN WHO IS MARRIED TO A WOMAN.

ρζ. Πῶς ἄνδρα συζευχθέντα γυναί-
κί.

Ἄνδρα συζευχθέντα
γυναίκεν ἀπὸ πρώτης ἡλι-
κίας, ἐν ἣ ἐτέχθησαν,*
βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, πίν-
νας ἐγκύους ζωγραφοῦσιν.
αὐταὶ γὰρ γεννώμεναι ἐν
τῷ κόγχῳ, μετὰ καιρὸν
ὀλίγον συζεύγνυνται ἄλ-
λήλαις ἐνδον τοῦ κόγχου.

When they would symbo-
lise a man who is married to
a woman from their very in-
fancy wherein they were
born, they depict PREGNANT
PINNÆ; for these when pro-
duced within the shell, after a
short time are joined with one
another, even within the shell.

CVIII. HOW A MAN THAT DOES NOT PROVIDE FOR
HIMSELF.

ρη. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον μὴ προνοούμενον ἑαυτοῦ.

Πατέρα, † ἢ ἄνθρω-
πον μὴ προνοούμενον ἑαυ-

When they would symbo-
lise a father, or a man who

¶ De Pauw sug. τοὺς κάραβους.

* Par A. B. Leem.—ἐτέχθη, Al.

† Treb. om.

τοῦ, ἀλλ' ὑπὸ τῶν οἰκείων
 προνοούμενον θέλοντες ση-
 μῆναι, πίνναν καὶ καρμῖ-
 νον ζωγραφοῦσιν. οὗτος
 γὰρ ὁ καρμῖνος μένει κε-
 κολλημένος τῇ σαρκὶ τῆς
 πίννης, καὶ καλεῖται πιν-
 νοφύλαξ, ἀκολουθῶς τῷ
 ὀνόματι. ἡ οὖν πίννα διόλου
 κέχρηεν ἐν τῷ κόγχῳ πει-
 νῶσα. ὅταν οὖν αὐτῆς κε-
 χρηνίας παρεισέλθῃ ἰχθύ-
 διον τι, ὁ πιννοφύλαξ δακ-
 νει τῇ χηλῇ τὴν πίνναν, ἡ
 δὲ αἰσθομένη καταμύει
 τὸν κόγχον, καὶ οὕτως
 κυνηγετεῖ τὸ ἰχθύδιον.

*does not provide for himself,
 but is provided for by his do-
 mestic, they depict A PINNA
 AND A CRAYFISH; for this
 crayfish remains adhering to
 the flesh of the pinna, and is
 called pinnophylax (protector
 of the pinna), and acts agree-
 ably with its name. For the
 pinna when hungry always
 opens her shell, and when,
 whilst she lies gaping, any
 little fish comes within it, the
 pinnophylax pinches the pinna
 with its claw, which when the
 pinna perceives, she closes
 her shell, and thus catches the
 little fish.*

CIX. HOW A MAN ADDICTED TO GLUTTONY.

ρδ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον λάμειαν ἔχοντα.†

* Ἀνθρωπον λάμειαν ἔ-
 χοντα βουλόμενοι σημή-
 ναι, σκάρων ζωγραφοῦσιν.

When they would symbo-
 lise a man addicted to glut-
 tony, they delineate A CHAR-

† Treb. om. chap. 109.

οὗτος γὰρ ὁ μόνος τῶν ἰχ- FISH; for this is the only fish
θύνων μαρυκᾶται, καὶ πάν- which ruminates, and eats all
τα τὰ προσπίπτοντα the little fishes which fall in
ἰχθύδια ἐσθίει. its way.

CX. HOW A MAN THAT VOMITS UP HIS FOOD.

ρί. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον τὴν ἑαυτοῦ τροφήν ἐμοῦντα.

* Ἄνθρωπον ἐμοῦντα When they would symbo-
τὴν ἰδίαν τροφήν, καὶ πά- lise a man that vomits up his
λιν ἀπλήστως ἐσθίοντα, food, and again eats insatia-
βουλόμενοι σημεῖναι, ἐνά- bly, they depict a SEAWEASEL;
λιον ἢ γαλεὸν ζωγραφοῦσιν. for it brings forth through its
οὗτος γὰρ κύει μὲν διὰ mouth, and drinks in the seed
τοῦ στόματος, νηρόμενος whilst swimming.
δὲ καταπίνει τὸν γόνον.

CXI. HOW A MAN THAT HAS COMMERCE WITH PERSONS OF ANOTHER TRIBE.

ρία. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἀνθρώπων || ἀλλοφύλων χρώμενον μίξει.

* Ἄνθρωπον ἀνθρώπων || When they would symbo-
χρώμενον μίξει ἀλλοφύ- lise a man that has commerce
λων βουλόμενοι σημεῖναι, with persons of another tribe,

§ ἔνυδρον, Al.

|| Par A. C. Leem. om.

μύραιναι ἰχθὺν ζωγρα- they depict the LAMPREY ;
 φοῦσιν. αὐτὴ γὰρ ἐκ θα- because it ascends out of the
 λάσσης ἀναβαίνουσα, τοῖς sea, and has commerce with
 ἔχουσι μίγνυται, καὶ εὐ- the vipers, and straightway
 θέως εἰς τὴν θάλασσαν returns to the sea.
 ἐπιτρέχει.

CKII. HOW A MAN PUNISHED FOR MURDER.

ριβ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἐπὶ φόνῳ κολασθέντα.

Ἄνθρωπον ἐπὶ φόνῳ When they would symbo-
 κολασθέντα, καὶ μεταμε- lise a man punished for mur-
 ληθέντα βουλόμενοι σημή- der and repenting, they depict
 ναι, τρυγὸνα περιπεπλε- a PARTINACA (a fish with a
 γμένην ἀγκίστρῳ ζωγρα- sting in its tail,) CAUGHT ON
 φοῦσιν. αὐτὴ γὰρ κατασ- A HOOK ; for when caught it
 χεθεῖσα, ρίπτει τὴν ἐν τῇ casts away the sting in its
 οὐρᾷ ἄκανθαν. tail.

CKIII. HOW A MAN THAT EATS UNSPARINGLY OF ANOTHER'S SUBSTANCE.

ριγ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἀφειδῶς κατεσθίοντα τὰ ἀλλότρια.¶

Ἄνθρωπον ἀφειδῶς κα- When they would symbo-
 τεσθίοντα τὰ ἀλλότρια, lise a man that eats unspar-

καὶ ὕστερον κατανηλωκό- *ingly of another's substance,*
 τα τὰ ἴδια, βουλόμενοι *and afterwards consumes his*
 σημῆναι, πολύποδα ζω- *own, they depict a POLYPUS;*
 γραφοῦσιν. ἐκεῖνος γὰρ *for, if he be in want of food*
 εἰάν ἀπορήσῃ τροφῆς τῆς *from other things, he eats his*
 ἀπὸ ἄλλων, τὰς ἰδίας *own feelers.*
 πλεκτάνας ἐσθίει.

CXIV. HOW A MAN THAT IS EAGER AFTER GOOD.

ριδ'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον ἐπὶ καλῷ ὀρμήσαντα.

*Ἀνθρωπον ἐπὶ καλῷ *When they would symbo-*
 ὀρμήσαντα, καὶ ἀντὶ τού- *lise a man that is eager for*
 του κακῷ περιπεσόντα, *good, and who instead of it*
 βουλόμενοι σημῆναι, ση- *falls into evil, they portray a*
 πῖαν ζωγραφοῦσιν. αὕτη *CUTTLEFISH; for this fish if*
 γὰρ εἰάν ἴδῃ τινὰ βουλό- *it see any other longing to*
 μενον αὐτὴν θηράσαι, *catch it, ejects a black liquid*
 προϊέται εἰς τὸ ὕδωρ ἐκ *from its belly into the water,*
 τῆς κοιλίας τὸ μέλαν, *so that by these means it is*
 ὥστε ἐκ τούτου μηκέτι *no longer visible, and thus*
 αὐτὴν βλέπεσθαι, καὶ *escapes.*
 οὕτω διαφεύγει.

CXV. HOW A PROLIFIC MAN.

ριέ. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον γόνιμον.

* Ἄνθρωπον γόνιμον βου-
λόμενοι σημήναι, στρου-
θίον πυργίτην * ζωγρα-
φοῦσιν. οὗτος γὰρ ὑπὸ
ὄργῆς ἀμέτρου, καὶ πο-
λυσπερμίας ὀχλούμενος,
ἐπτάκις μίγνυται τῇ θη-
λείᾳ, ἐν μιᾷ ὥρᾳ, ἀθρόως
σπερμαίνων.

When they would symbo-
lise a *prolific man*, they de-
pict the *HOUSE-SPARROW*; hic
enim immodicâ irâ et copiâ
seminis ductus septies in horâ
fœminam inicit copiosum semen
effutiens.

CXVI. HOW A MAN THAT IS CONSTANT, AND UNIFORMLY
TEMPERED.

ρις'. Πῶς ἄνθρωπον συνοχέα καὶ ἐνωτικόν.

* Ἄνθρωπον συνοχέα
καὶ ἐνωτικὸν βουλόμενοι
σημήναι, λύραν ζωγρα-
φοῦσιν. αὕτη γὰρ συνέ-
χειαν φυλάττει τῶν ἰδίῳ
κρουμάτων.†

When they would symbo-
lise a *man that is constant,*
and uniformly tempered, they
depict a *LYRE*; for it preserves
the continuity of its notes.

* Par A. B. C. Treb. Ald. Mer. Causs. — πυρίτην, Al.

† κρουμάτων, Al.

CXVII. HOW A MAN PREVIOUSLY DERANGED IN HIS INTELLECTS, BUT AFTERWARDS BECOMING SANE.

ριζ' Πῶς ἄνθρωπον πάλαι μὲν ἀποστάντα τῶν ἰδίων νοημάτων, ὕστερον δὲ γεγονότα τῆς ἑαυτοῦ φρονήσεως.

Ἄνθρωπον πάλαι μὲν ἀποστάντα τῶν ἰδίων νοημάτων, ὕστερον δὲ τῆς ἑαυτοῦ γεγονότα φρονήσεως, καὶ τάξιν ἐπαγαγόντα τῇ ἑαυτοῦ ζωῇ βουλόμενοι σημήναι, σύριγγα γράφουσιν. αὕτη γὰρ ἐπιστρεπτική ἐστι, καὶ ἀναμνηστικὴ τῶν καταδυμῶς πεπραγμένων αὐτῶ, καὶ μάλιστα τεταγμένον ἐκτελοῦσα φθόγγον.

When they would symbolise a man previously deranged in his intellects, but afterwards becoming sane, and bringing a degree of regularity into his life, they depict a SYRINX; for it is soothing, and calls to remembrance things that have been pleasurably done; and it produces a very regulated sound.

CXVIII. HOW A MAN WHO DISTRIBUTES JUSTICE
IMPARTIALLY TO ALL.



ρίη. Πῶς ἀνθρώπων ἴσως πᾶσι τὸ δίκαιον ἀπονέμοντα.

<p>Ἄνθρωπον ἴσως πᾶσι τὸ δίκαιον ἀπονέμοντα βουλόμενοι σημήναι, στρου- θοκαμήλου πτερόν γρά- φουσι. τοῦτο γὰρ τὸ ζῷον πανταχόθεν ἴσα ἔχει τὰ πτερυγώματα παρὰ † τῶν ἄλλων.</p>	<p>When they would symbo- lise a man who distributes justice impartially to all, they depict THE FEATHER OF AN OSTRICH; for this bird has the feathers of its wings equal on every side, beyond all other birds.</p>
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*Time, the goddess of Justice; the Themis of the Greeks.
Justice is denoted by the ostrich's feather; with which
the head of the goddess is ornamented.*

† Par A. B. Leem. insert τὰ.

CXIX. HOW A MAN THAT IS FOND OF BUILDING.



ριθ'. Πῶς ἀνδρῶπον φιλοκτίστην.ξ

*Ανδρῶπον φιλοκτίστηνξ When they would symbo-
 βουλόμενοι σημήναι, χεῖρα lise a man that is fond of
 ἀνθρώπου γράφουσιν. αὐτη building, they delineate a
 γὰρ ποιεῖ πάντα τὰ MAN'S HAND; for it performs
 κτίσματα.|| all works.

A Hand signifies a hand, also the letters T, Th, or D.

§ Treb. laboriosum.
 || Treb. opera.

*Ωραπόλλωνος Νειλώου ἱερογλυφικῶν τέλος.

THE END OF THE HIEROGLYPHICS OF HORAPOLLO NILOUS.

APPENDIX.

EXPLANATION OF THE PLATES.

The **FRONTISPIECE** is a Ptolemaic doorway, with the supreme god, Ammon, upon its piers, holding in one hand the staff of power, and in the other the emblem of life. The sacred symbol of the Winged Globe and Serpent is upon the architrave: and a continuous row of serpents forms an attic above the cornice. The symbol in the centre signifies "Hieroglyphics."

PLATE I.

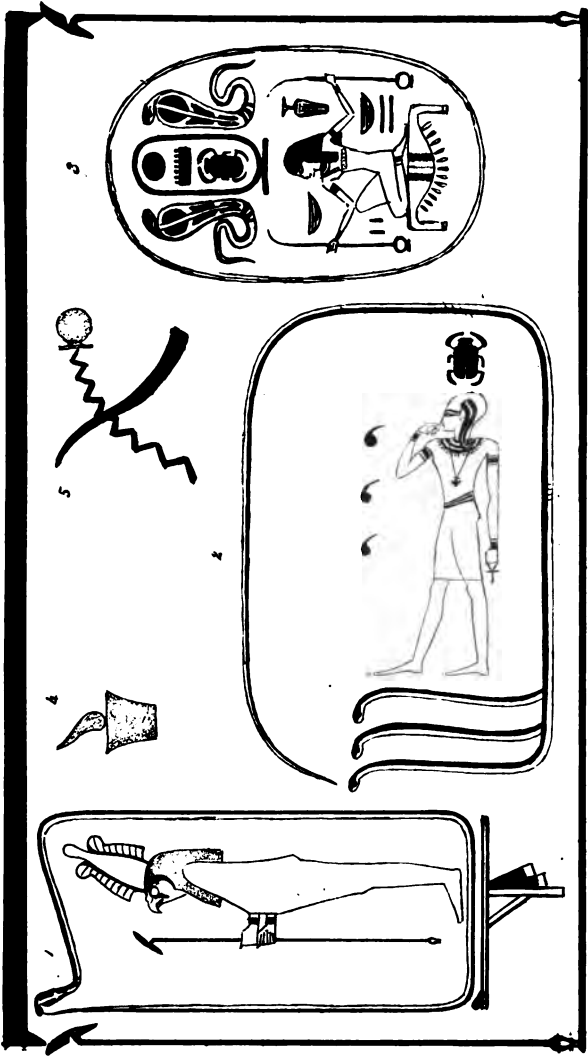
Fig. I. is a representation of the god Atmou surrounded by a serpent with his tail in his mouth, and is given by Dr. Leemans in illustration of book I. chapter 2.

II. Is an illustration of the same chapter; it occurs on a sarcophagus in the British Museum.

III. Is from a scarab seal in the possession of J. Millingen, Esq. It is a representation of Netpe holding two palm branches indicative of the year, and seems to imply that the calendar was reformed by Thothmos III. whose signet occupies the upper half. See chapter 12.

IV. A lamp or pot of fire, signifies the letter B, and may be an illustration of chapter 22.

V. This has not unfrequently been considered an illustration of book I. chapter 43; but is extremely doubtful.



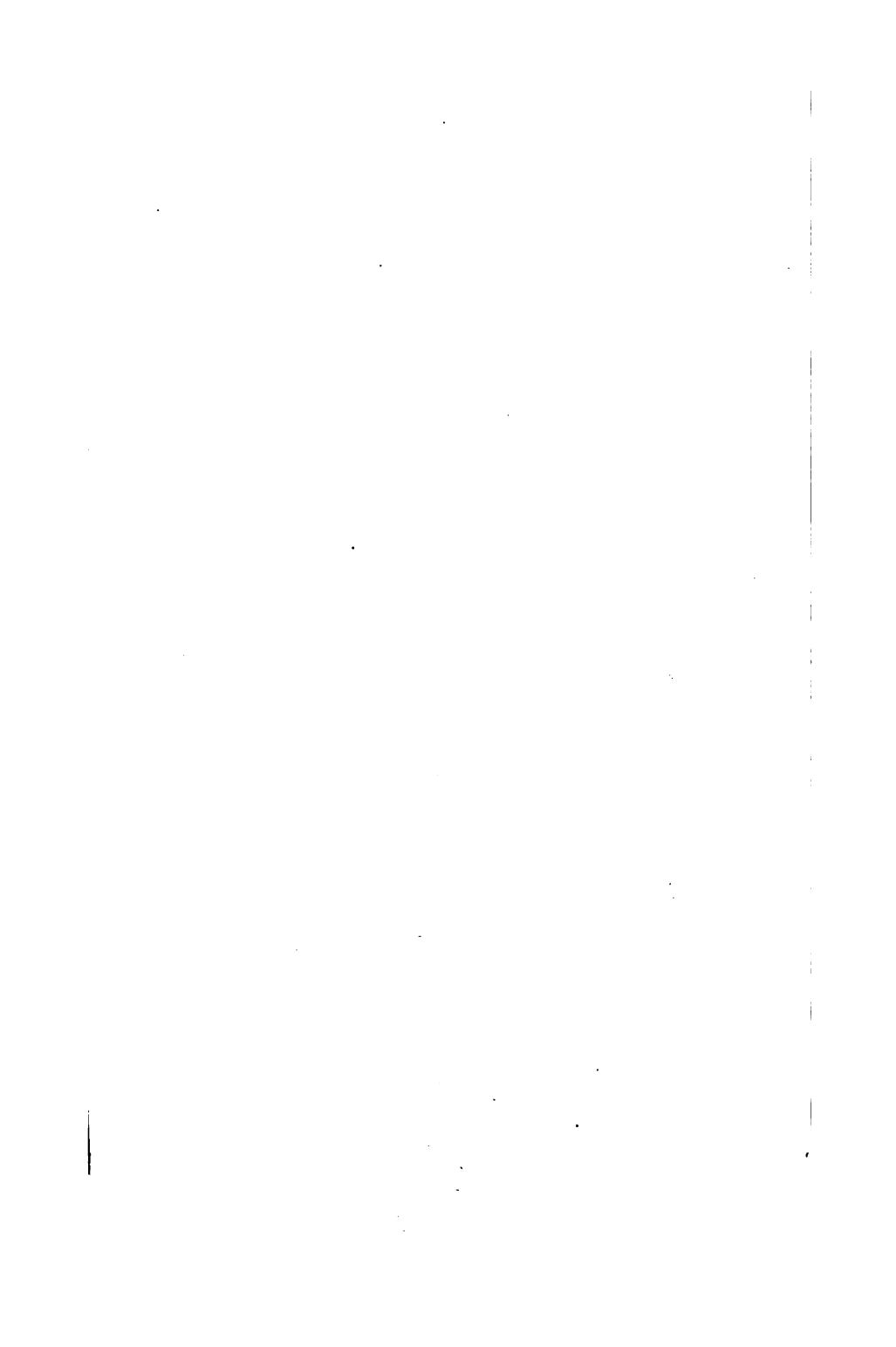
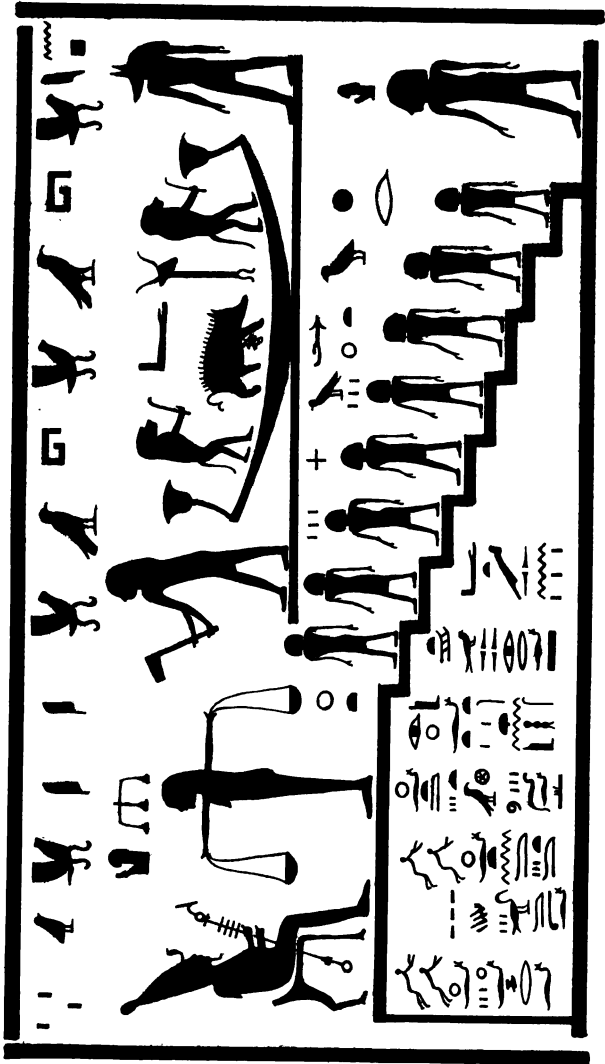
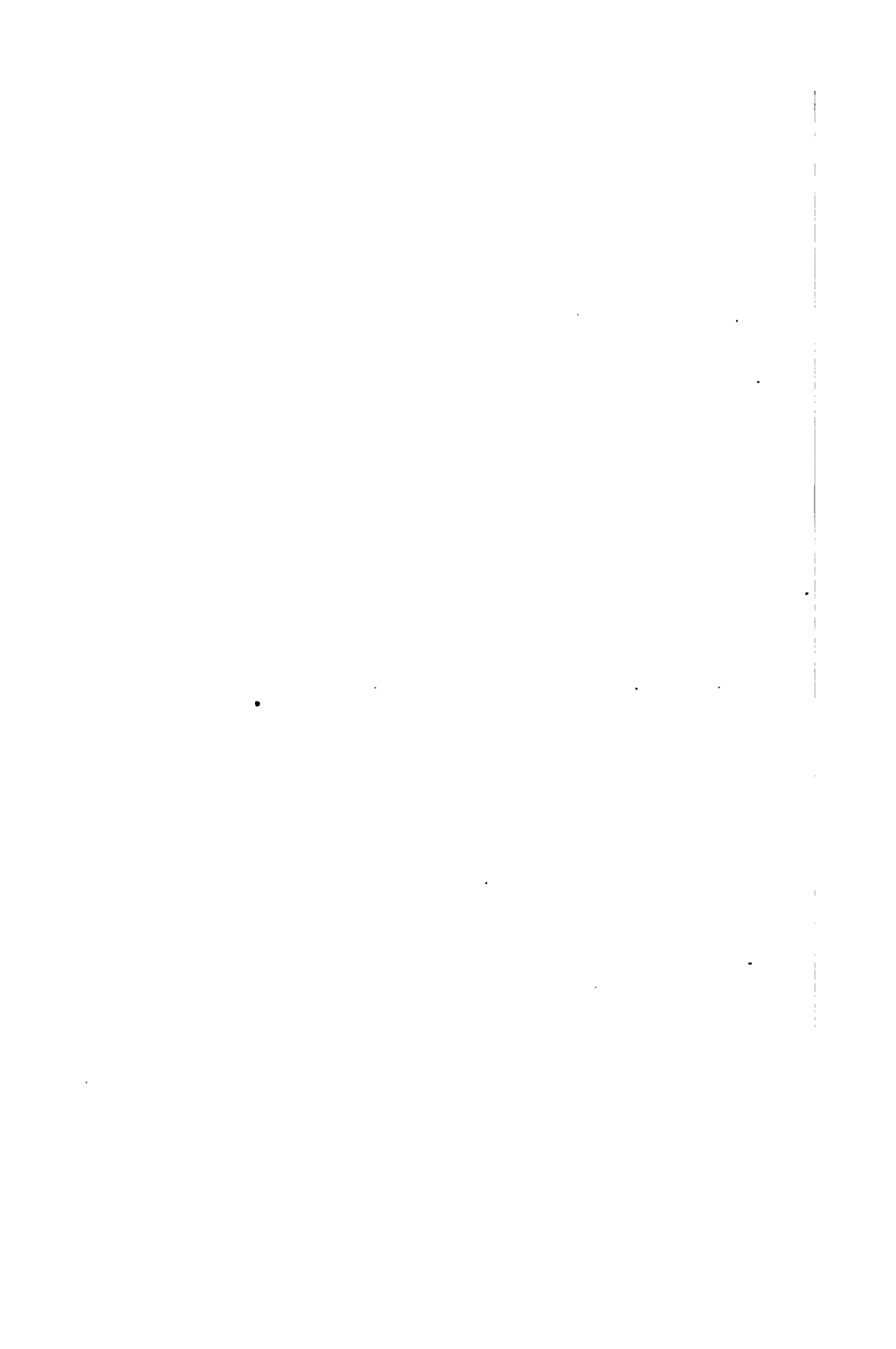


PLATE II.

This plate, sketched by Mr. Bonomi, from a tomb in Thebes, represents a judgment scene in which, as explained by Champollion, different souls are ascending the steps to judgment by Osiris. The soul of a glutton last condemned is departing in the boat in the form of a swine. See book II. chapter 37: and for the inverted stags' heads, which seem to have some connection with eternity, see book I. chapter 69, and book II. chapter 21. A similar judgment scene appears upon the sarcophagus from Belzoni's tomb in Sir J. Soame's museum.





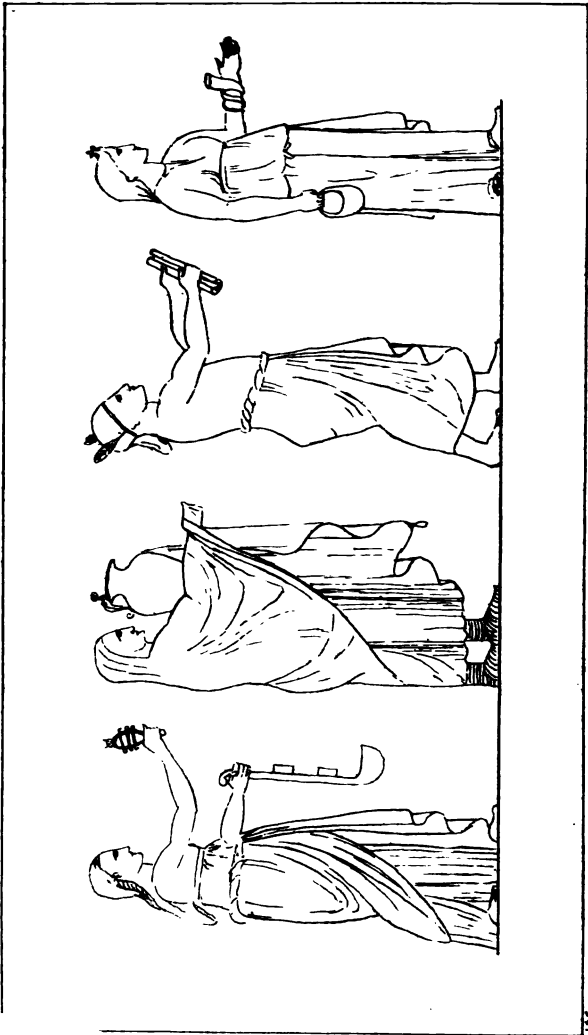


PLATE III.

It is evident that in the chapters, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, and 42, of the first Book, Horapollo must have had in view one of the ceremonial processions of the Egyptian priests.

The plate, a copy of a basso relievo of Roman date, given in Bartoli's *Admiranda*, represents a similar procession. The following passage from Clemens of Alexandria throws considerably more light upon the subject :

Μετίασι γὰρ οἰκείαν
τινὰ φιλοσοφίαν Αἰγύπ-
τιοι. αὐτίκα τοῦτο ἐμ-
φαίνει μάλιστα ἡ ἱερο-
πρεπὴς αὐτῶν θρησκεία·
πρῶτος μὲν γὰρ προέρ-
χεται ὁ ᾠδὸς, ἐν τι τῶν
τῆς μουσικῆς ἐπιφερόμενος
συμβόλων. τοῦτον φασὶ
δύο βίβλοις ἀνειλουμέναι
δεῖν ἐκ τῶν Ἑρμοῦ ὧν
θάτερον μὲν, ὕμνους περι-
έχει θεῶν ἐκλογισμὸν δε
βασιλικῷ βίου τὸ δεύτε-

The Egyptians possess a certain native philosophy of their own, and this their sacred ceremonies principally shew. For first proceeds a *Singer* bearing some of the symbols of music: and they say that his duty is to be versed in the two books of Hermes, one of which contains the hymns of the gods, and the other precepts for the regulation of the king's life. After the singer comes the *Horoscopus* holding

ρον· μετὰ δὲ τὸν ἄδδον, ὁ ὠροσκόπος, ὠρολόγιον τε μετὰ χεῖρα καὶ φοίνικα ἀστρολογίας ἔχων σύμβολα, πρόσεισιν. τοῦτον τὰ ἀστρολογούμενα τῶν Ἑρμοῦ βιβλίων, τέσσαρα ὄντα τὸν ἀριθμὸν, αἰετὸν διὰ στόματος ἔχειν χεῖρῶν τὸ μὲν ἐστὶ περὶ τοῦ διακόσμου τῶν ἐπλανῶν φαινομένων ἀστρῶν τὸ δὲ, περὶ τῶν συνόδων καὶ φωτισμῶν ἡλίου καὶ σεληνῆς τὸ δὲ λοιπὸν, περὶ τῶν ἀνατολῶν. ἐξῆς δὲ ὁ ἱερογραμματεὺς προέρχεται, ἔχων πτερὰ ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς, βιβλίον τε ἐν χερσὶ καὶ κανόνα, ἐν ᾧ τὸ τε γραφικόν μέλαν, καὶ σχοῖνος ἢ γράφουσι. τοῦτον τὰ τε ἱερογλυφικὰ καλούμενα, περὶ τε τῆς κοσμογραφίας, καὶ γεωγραφίας, τῆς τάξεως τοῦ ἡλίου καὶ τῆς σεληνῆς, καὶ περὶ τῶν πέντε πλανωμένων χωρογραφίαν τε τῆς

in his hand a clock and a palm branch, the symbols of astrology. His duty is constantly to retain in memory the astrological books of Hermes, which are four in number: of these one treats of the disposition of the apparently fixed stars, another of the conjunctions and illuminations of the sun and moon, and the remaining ones of their rising. After him proceeds the *sacred Scribe*, having wings upon his head, and in his hands a book and rule containing ink and the reed with which they write. His duty is to be acquainted with what are called hieroglyphics, relating to cosmography, geography, the positions of the sun and moon, the five planets, the topography of Egypt, the Nile, and its adjacent shores; comprising also a description of the attire of the priests, and of the places set apart for them, and

Αἰγύπτου, καὶ τῆς τοῦ Νείλου διαγραφῆς. περὶ τε τῆς καταγραφῆς σκευῆς τῶν ἱερῶν, καὶ τῶν ἀφιερωμένων αὐτοῖς χωρίων. περὶ τε μέτρων καὶ τῶν ἐν τοῖς ἱεροῖς χρησίμων, εἰδέναι χρή. ἔπειτα ὁ στολιστὴς τοῖς προειρουμένοις ἔπεται, ἔχων τὸν τε τῆς δικαιοσύνης πῆχυν, καὶ τὸ σπονδεῖον. οὗτος τὰ παιδευτικὰ πάντα καὶ μοσχοσφαγιστικὰ καλούμενα· δέκα δὲ ἔστι τὰ εἰς τὴν τιμὴν ἀνήκοντα τῶν παρ' αὐτοῖς θεῶν, καὶ τὴν Αἰγυπτίαν ευσέβειαν περιέχοντα. οἶον περὶ θυμάτων, ἀπαρχῶν, ὕμνων, εὐχῶν, πομπῶν, ἑορτῶν, καὶ τῶν τοῦτοις ὁμοίων. ἐπὶ πᾶσι δὲ ὁ προφήτης ἔξεισι, προφανὲς τὸ ὑδρεῖον ἐγκεκολπισμένος· ᾧ ἔπονται οἱ τὴν ἐκπεψιν τῶν ἄρτων βαστάζοντες, οὗτος, ὡς ἂν προστάτης τοῦ ἱεροῦ, τὰ ἱερατικὰ καλούμενα

concerning the measures and other matters appertaining to the priests. After the preceding, follows the *Stolistes* (the Master of the Robes,) holding the rod of justice and the chalice. His duty is to be versed in all things relating to education, and the rites called "the sacrifice of the calf." Ten of these [books] relate to the worship of their gods and the Egyptian religion, viz. such as concern the sacrifices, first fruits, hymns, prayers, processions, festivals, and the like. Last of all comes the *Prophet* openly carrying in his bosom the waterpot: and he is followed by the supervisors of the exportation of bread. His duty as president of the temple is to be conversant with the ten books called hieratic. These contain all things relating to the laws and the gods, and the entire ordinances respecting sacred

δέκα βιβλία ἐμμανθάνει. περιέχει δὲ περὶ τε νόμων καὶ θεῶν, καὶ τῆς ὅλης παιδείας τῶν ἱερέων· ὁ γὰρ τοι προφήτης παρὰ τοῖς Αἰγυπτίοις, καὶ τῆς διανομῆς τῶν προσόδων ἐπιστάτης ἐστίν. δύο μὲν οὖν καὶ τεσσαράκοντα αἱ πάνυ ἀναγκαῖαι τῶ Ἑρμῆ γεγόνασι βίβλοι· ὃν τὰς μὲν λσγ', τὴν πᾶσαν Αἰγυπτίων περιεχούσας φιλοσοφίαν, οἱ προειρημένοι ἐμμανθάνουσι· τὰς δὲ λοιπὰς ἑξ', οἱ παστοφόροι, ἰατρικὰς οὖσας, περὶ τε τῆς τοῦ σώματος κατασκευῆς, καὶ περὶ νόσων, καὶ περὶ ὀργάνων, καὶ φαρμάκων, καὶ περὶ ὀφθαλμῶν, καὶ τὸ τελευταῖον περὶ τῶν γυναικίων.

matters. For among the Egyptians the prophet presides over the distribution of the revenue; hence there are forty-two books of Hermes which are absolutely necessary. Of these, thirty-six, containing all the philosophy of the Egyptians, are learned by the above-mentioned officers: the remaining six, relating to medicine and the constitution of the body, and to its diseases and organs, and to pharmacy and the eyes, and lastly to woman, are learned by the pastophori.—*Clemens. Strom.* VI. 633.

The following passages from Clemens of Alexandria and Porphyry are illustrative of the different kinds of writing anciently practised in Egypt. The passage of Clemens is found to be strictly in accordance with the result of modern discoveries, which have brought to light the Enchorial, Hieratic, and Hieroglyphic inscriptions, and the different species of Hieroglyphics.

FROM CLEMENS.

Αὐτίκα οἱ παρ' Αἰ-
 γυπτίοις παιδευόμενοι,
 πρῶτον μὲν πάντων τὴν
 Αἰγυπτίων γραμμάτων
 μέθοδον ἐκμανθάνουσι, τὴν
 ἐπιστολογραφικὴν καλου-
 μένην· δευτέραν δὲ, τὴν
 ἱερατικὴν, ἣ χρῶνται οἱ
 ἱερογραμματεῖς· ὑστά-
 την δὲ καὶ τελευταίαν,
 τὴν ἱερογλυφικὴν· ἧς ἡ
 μὲν ἐστὶ διὰ τῶν πρώτων
 στοιχείων κυριολογικὴ· ἡ
 δὲ, συμβολικὴ· τῆς δὲ συμ-
 βολικῆς ἡ μὲν, κυριολογεῖ-
 ται κατὰ μίμησιν ἡ δὲ,

Now those who are in-
 structed by the Egyptians,
 first of all learn that system
 of Egyptian writing, which is
 called the EPISTOLOGRAPHIC
 [or enchorial]; secondly, the
 HIERATIC, which is used by
 the sacred scribes; thirdly and
 lastly, the HIEROGLYPHIC. Of
 this [last] one kind expresses
 its own meaning *by the first
 elements* [alphabetically];
 but the other kind is *sym-
 bolical*. Of the symbolical,
 one sort directly conveys
 its meaning *by imitation*;

ὡσπερ τροπικῶς γράφεται. ἢ δὲ, ἀντικρυς ἀλληγορεῖται κατὰ τινὰς αἰνιγμούς. Ἡλιον γοῦν γράψαι βουλόμενοι, κύκλον ποιῶσι· Σελήνην δὲ, σχῆμα μνηοειδές, κατὰ τὸ κυριολογούμενον εἶδος· Τροπικῶς δὲ, κατ' οἰκειότητα μεταάγοντες καὶ μετατιθέντες· τὰ δ', ἐξαλλάττοντες· τὰ δὲ, πολλαχῶς μετασχηματίζοντες, χαράττουσιν. τοὺς γοῦν τῶν βασιλέων ἐπαίνους θεολογούμενοις μύθοις παραιδόντες, ἀναγράφουσι διὰ τῶν ἀναγλύφων· Τοῦ δὲ κατὰ τοὺς αἰνιγμούς, τρίτου εἶδους, δεῖγμα ἔστω τόδε. τὰ μὲν γὰρ τῶν ἄλλων ἄστρων, διὰ τὴν πορείαν τὴν λοξήν, ὄφρων σώμασιν ἀπείκαζον. τὸν δὲ Ἡλιον, τῷ τοῦ κανθάρου· ἐπειδὴ κυκλωτερές ἐκ τῆς βοείας ὄνθου σχῆμα πλασάμενος, ἀντιπρόσωπος κυλίνδει. φασὶ δὲ καὶ

another sort is written as it were *metaphorically*; while the remaining sort speaks *allegorically* as it were by means of *ænigmas*. Thus, [Imitatively,] when they would indicate the *Sun* they make a *CIRCLE*, and the *moon*, a *CRES-CENT* by a form which conveys its own signification. But *Metaphorically*, they adopt some appropriate turn or transfer in their engravings, simply changing some things, but multifariously transforming others: thus in expressing the praises of their kings they invest them with the mythological attributes of the gods, by a transfer of their symbols. But of the third form, the *Enigmatical*, let this serve as an example: some of the stars, on account of the obliquity of their courses they portray by the bodies of *Serpents*; but the *Sun* by that of a *Beetle*, because it forms a globe of *cow-dung*, rolling it with its

ἑξάμηνον μὲν ὑπὸ γῆς·
θάτερον δὲ τοῦ ἔτους τμή-
μα, τὸ ζῶον τοῦτο ὑπὲρ
γῆς διαιτᾶσθαι· σπερμαί-
νει τε εἰς τὴν σφαιραν, καὶ
γενῶν· καὶ θῆλυν κἀνδρα-
ρον μὴ γίνεσθαι.

face averted: they say also that
this creature lives six months
under ground, but the other
portion of the year above
ground; that it propagates by
vivifying the beforementioned
globe; and that no female
beetle is ever born.—*Strom.*
V. 555.

FROM PORPHYRY.

Καὶ ἐν Αἰγύπτῳ μὲν
τοῖς ἱερέεσι συνῆν, καὶ
τὴν σοφίαν ἐξέμαθε καὶ
τὴν Αἰγυπτίων φωνὴν
γραμμάτων δὲ τρισσὰς
διαφορὰς, ἐπιστολογρα-
φικῶν τε, καὶ ἱερογλυφι-
κῶν, καὶ συμβολικῶν. τῶν
μὲν κοινολογουμένων κατὰ
μίμησιν, τῶν δὲ ἄλληγο-
ρουμένων κατὰ τινὰς αἰ-
νιγμούς.

Pythagoras travelled also
among the Egyptians; and
in Egypt he lived with the
priests, and learned from them
the wisdom and language of
the Egyptians, and the three
kinds of writing, viz. the *epis-
tolographic*, the *hieroglyphic*,
and the *symbolic*, the one
conveying its meaning directly
by imitation, the other alle-
gorically, by means of enig-
mas. *De Vit. Pyth.* p. 8.



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OF THE ABBREVIATIONS USED, AND EDITIONS REFERRED TO.

AL.—Alii.

Ald.—Aldine edition of Horapollo, 1505.

Anc. Fr.—Ancient Fragments, by I. P. Cory.

Arist.—Aristotle de Generatione et Corruptione.

Aug.—Augustine MS. quoted by De Pauw.

Bartoli.—Bartoli's Admiranda.

Boch.—Bochart's Hierozoicon.

Causa.—Causin's Horapollo, 1631.

Champ.—Champollion's Pantheon, Precis, and Letters to Desier.

Clem.—Clemens Alexandrinus' Stromata.

De Pauw, 1727.

Eusebius.—Præparatio Evangelica.

F.—A French Translation of Horapollo, 1574.

Hæsch.—Hæschel's Horapollo, 1595.

Jab.—Jablonski's Pantheon Ægyptiorum, and Glossarium.

Kirch.—Kircher's Obeliscus Pamphilius.

Klap.—Klaproth's Epistola ad Goulianoff.

Leem.—Leemans' Horapollo, 1837.

Mat. Hier.—Wilkinson's Materia Hieroglyphica.

Mer.—Mercer's Horapollo, 1548 and 1551.

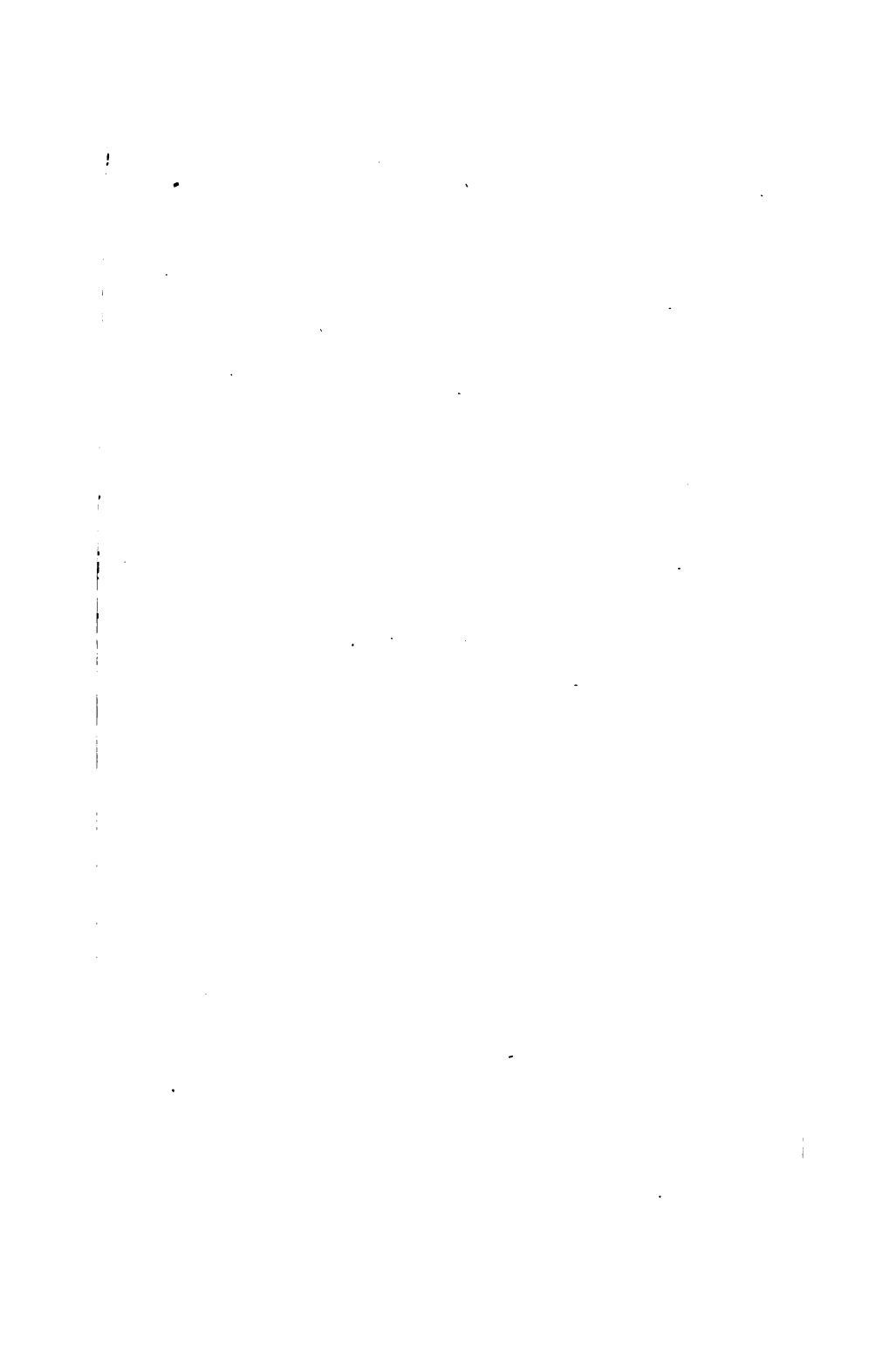
Mor.—A MS. given by Morell to Mercer, and quoted by him.

Om.—Omit.

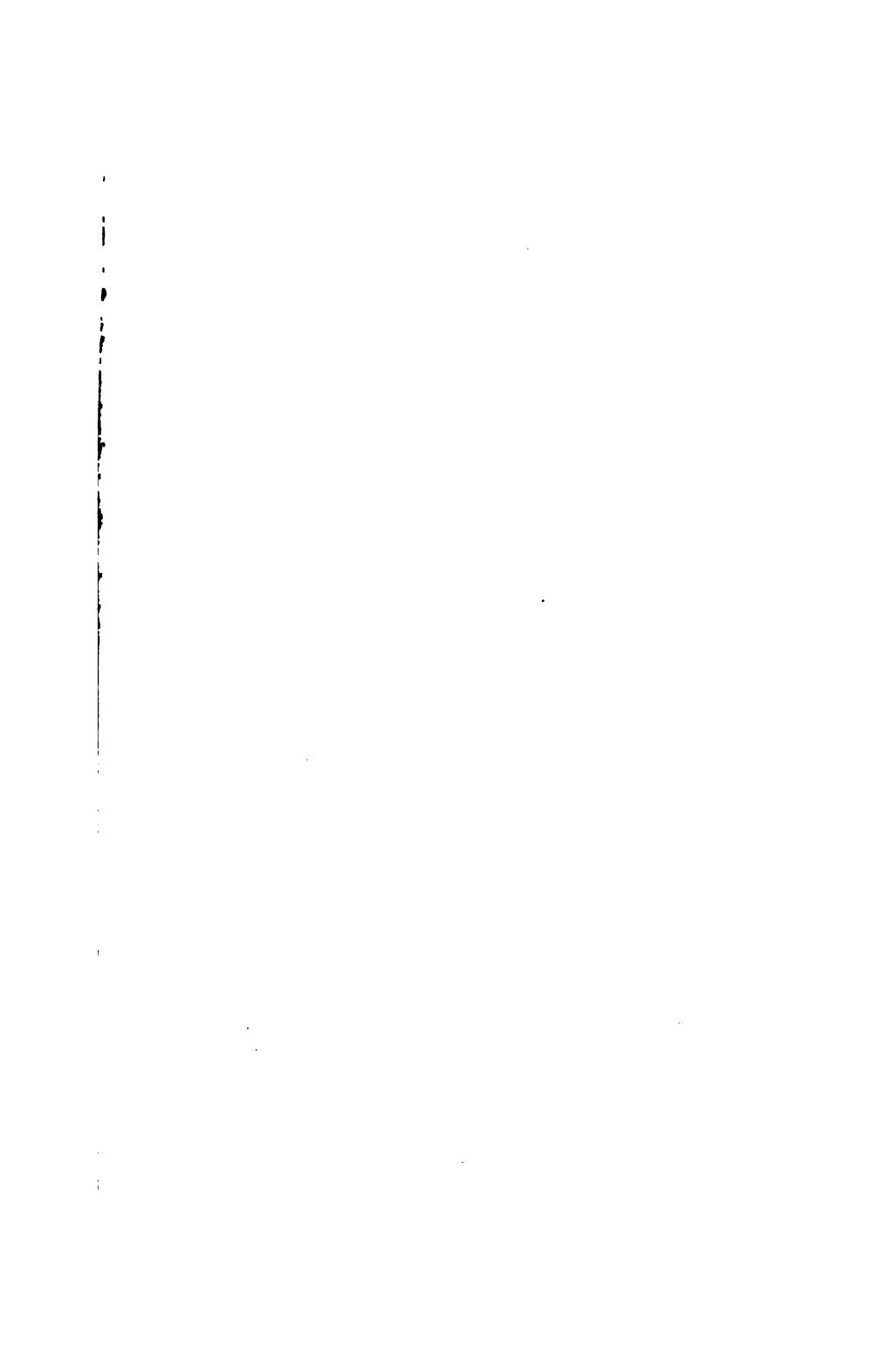
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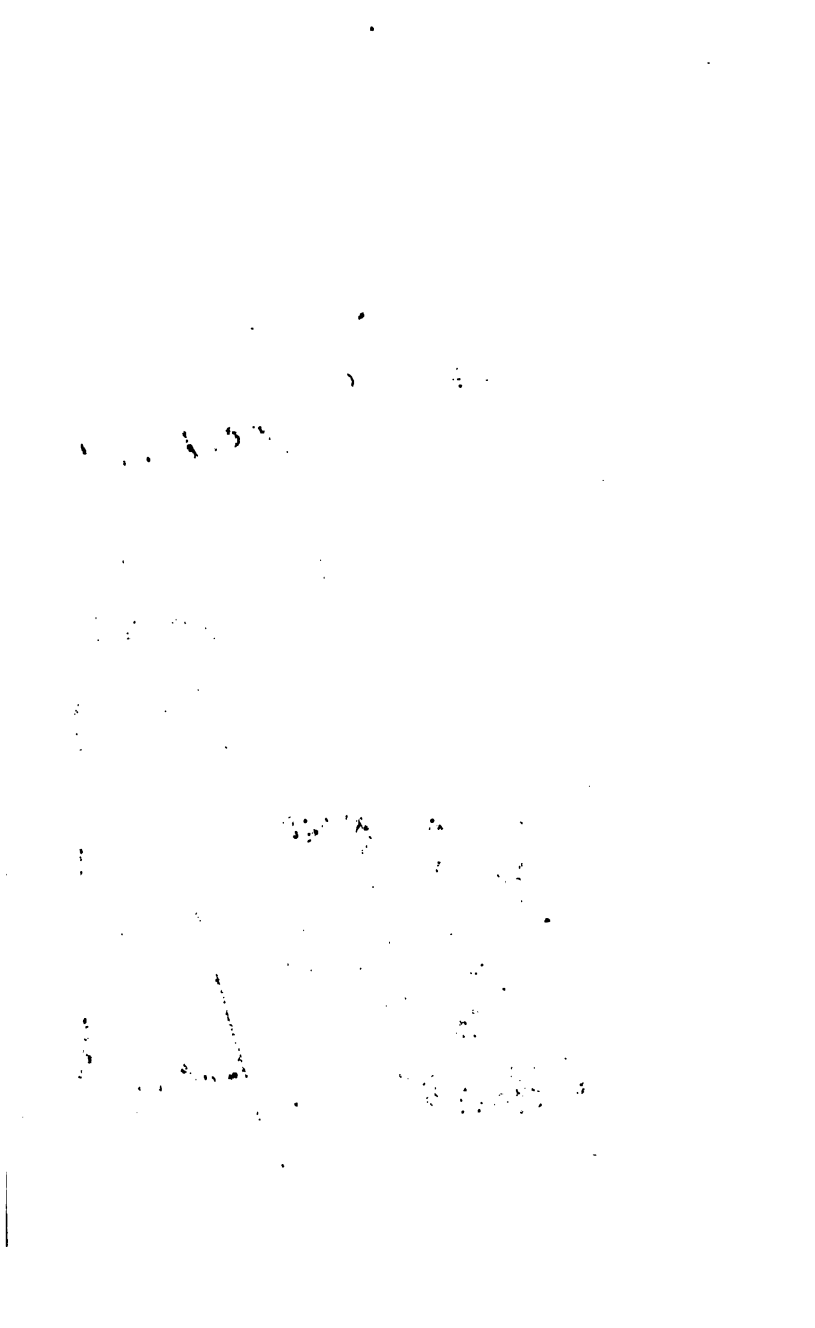
- Par. Reg.—A manuscript in the library of the King of France.
- Pier.—Pierius' Hieroglyphics, 1614—1626.
- Plut.—Plutarch's Isis and Osiris.
- Sh.—Sharpe's Vocabulary of Hieroglyphics, and Egyptian Inscriptions.
- Salm.—Salmasius' Lexicon.
- Tat.—Tattam's Coptic Lexicon.
- Treb.—A Latin translation of Horapollo by Trebatius, 1515.
- Vat.—The Vatican manuscript of Horapollo.

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